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ATLANTA SYSTEM OF BOOKKEEPING PUT UNDER FIRE

Subcommittee on Commission Government Arraigns Present System.

BOOKS OF COMPTROLLER UNAUDITED IN 20 YEARS

"The Physical Evidence of Waste Obvious to Any Citizen," Says Suubcommittee. Logical Result of Present System, Indifference, Inefficiency and Waste."

The feature of the report of the subcommittee on a commission form of government for Atlanta made to the charter revision committee of forty-nine yesterday afternoon was the arraignment of the present bookkeeping system.

The report declared that only the expenditures and the receipts were shown in the books kept by the comptroller, and they disclose nothing with reference to detailed results of conducting this business.

No Vouchers Are Kept.

It is pointed out that the disbursements of the city relative to expense items is especially faulty.

It is asserted that in the case of the departments "no vouchers or receipts are taken from which it can be ascertained whether a name upon the pay roll represents a living man, nor how long he has worked, nor which identifies him by name and street address. Many on the pay rolls are signed in whole or in part by the foreman who made them out—a condition of affairs which invites other things beside ridicule."

It is stated that the books in the comptroller's department have not been audited, so the, committee is informed, in twenty years.

Indifference, Inefficiency, Waste.

Then the report shows that:

"The inevitable logical results of the present system of keeping books and administration of the public business are indifference, inefficiency and waste. The income of the city is about $2,250,000 per annum, and the presence of waste is suggested by the inadequate police force, crowded schools and ten thousand homes without sewer or water.

"The physical presence of waste is obvious to any citizen with eyes to see. Sewers are laid upon streets where there is no water, and citizens are taxed for an improvement which they cannot use, and for years lose interest upon the principal paid. Water mains are laid in streets where there are no sewers, thus rendering the water practically unavailable. Streets are paved, and then dug up to lay sewers; relaid and dug up again for water mains; relaid and then dug up for something else, to the end of the chapter."

The report of the committee on a form of government other than the commission plan was not ready, as Chairman Alex W. Smith was absent from the city.

Reports Will Be Printed.

Colonel W. S. Thomson offered a motion that the secretary have printed five hundred copies of both reports for distribution among members of the committee, the general council and such citizens who would wish to read them. The motion was adopted with an amendment, offered by Judge George Hillyer, that the two reports be printed under separate covers.

A motion was adopted that after the committee had received both reports and acted upon them the whole matter would be submitted to a vote of the people.

A letter was read from Mrs. M. L. McLendon, president of the Woman's Suffrage Club, in which she asked that in the new charter women be given the right to vote. The paper was referred to the committee of which Mr. Smith is chairman, as it is believed his committee has already considered the matter.

Report in Full.

The report of the subcommittee in full is as follows:

"Mr. E. V. Carter, Chairman, City,—Dear Sir: The committee appointed to prepare a commission form of charter for the city of Atlanta begs leave to herewith submit its report, which, in its judgment, embraces the material principles of that character of government.

"The cardinal basis of the commission plan is to have the city's affairs administered in a purely businesslike way, freed from politics, and along lines which are essential to the successful administration of a large private business.

"In order to accomplish this result it is necessary to deal with the city as if it were a private corporation, the owner of large properties, with stockholders who are vitally interested in the corporate success, and to whom should be allotted the ultimate control of the corporate management. It has been ascertained by experience that no private or corporate business can be profitably managed except under one controlling power. 'Too many cooks spoil the broth.' If the business is large enough to justify it, different departments are placed in the hands of superintendents or managers who govern these departments. No business of an extensive nature has, we believe, ever proved successful which was handled by a large body of men upon none of whom was imposed any particular responsibility, either for a detailed knowledge of the corporate business or an individual liability in the event of failure. Responsibility distributed throughout such a body attaches to no particular individ-

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HENEY CRIED YOU'RE A BARKING CUR YOU'RE TRAILING DOG BYINGTON REPLIED

Trial of Pat Calhoun Almost Causes Personal Encounter Between Counsel.

HENEY AND ROGERS AGREE TO FIGHT AFTER TRIAL

Heney Announces That He Doesn't Intend to Be Assailed—He Left the Court Room Accompanied by His Usual Bodyguards.

San Francisco, April 27.—"I never take any notice of a barking cur," said Francis J. Heney to Lewis F. Byington in the trial here today of Patrick Calhoun.

"I may be a cur," said Byington, rising to his feet, "but I am not a trailing dog as you are."

Judge Lawlor intervened as the attorneys stepped toward one another, and warned the combatants.

Heney Gives Warning.

Thereupon Mr. Heney said:

"I do not intend to be assailed by any person engaged in this case. I stood it for months when I was opposed by Henry Ach, but so help me God, I will not stand for it again."

The outburst marked the end of an argument relating to admission of testimony by James Gallagher on redirect examination.

Later on, Heney and Earl Rogers, the latter representing Calhoun, became involved in a heated controversy which was ended by an agreement that their private differences shall be settled at the first opportunity after the trial.

For the first time, Rogers appeared to take offense at Heney's remarks.

Challenge to Fight.

"Don't you talk to me in that manner, Mr. Heney," he said.

"I'll meet you at any time you say so," answered the prosecutor.

"All right, Mr. Heney," replied Mr. Rogers. "That is agreed, but we will settle this matter after we have ended out duties to our respective clients."

Mr. Heney departed from the court room accompanied by his customary bodyguards and the adjournment marked the end of a stormy session.

Between quarrels, the re-cross examination of James L. Gallagher, who has occupied the witness stand since last Tuesday, was concluded, and Daniel S. Coleman, a former supervisor, was called in his place.

WHILE SERVING IN CUBA LIEUTENANT WINS BRIDE

Knots which Cupid prepared under balmy Cuban skies were tightened for life last night when Dr. William Dunlap DuBose pronounced the words which made Miss Helen Adams Muecke and Lieutenant Clifton Morgan Butler man and wife.

The romance had its beginning when the Seventeenth infantry, now stationed at Fort McPherson, was ordered to duty in Cuba. Miss Muecke, who is a New York girl, had been living for two years in Cuba. New York girl and army officer met in Havana, and after that at least one officer had no desire to leave the island.

The betrothal ceremony was performed at All Saints' church, Rev. Z. S. Farland officiating, while Dr. DuBose, dean of Sewanee, officiated at the wedding.

The bride entered the church with a kinsman, Mr. W. Franklin Adams, of New York.

The attendants were Miss Marie Louise Muecke, the bride's sister, maid of honor; Lieutenant John D. Burnett, Jr., of the Seventeenth, best man. Miss Eloise Lynah, of Savannah; Miss Rosa Gibbs, of Savannah; Miss Anita De Saussure, of Charleston; Miss Kirby Bentley, of Jacksonville; Miss Florence Muecke and Miss Susie Owens, bridesmaids.

The ushers were Mr. Merrill E. Spalding, Mr. Leighton W. Hazlehurst, Jr., Mr. William A. Gonoe, Mr. Allan W. Burdett, Mr. John H. Hester, Mr. Horatio K. Bradford, all lieutenants in the Seventeenth.

The bride was lovely in her wedding gown of white satin chiffon and lace. Valley lilies were caught in her veil, and they were combined with bride roses in her bouquet.

The maid of honor, gowned in white silk moire, had valley lilies in her hair, and her bouquet was of pink and white roses. The bridesmaids wore lingerie gowns, their bouquets were pink roses, and they wore pink roses in their hair.

The church was handsomely decorated with palms and lilies, and the fulldress uniforms of the groom's attendants were a brilliant feature of the occasion.

A program of organ music was played before and during the ceremony.

Afterwards an intimate company of guests were entertained at the Piedmont. They were received in one of the large drawing rooms, which was decorated with palms and pink and white roses, and delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler went north on their wedding trip, and returning they will make their home at Fort McPherson.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Miss Jessie Taylor, of Macon; Mr. Earl Knight, of Ann Arbor, Mich.; Miss May DuBose, of Monteagle, Tenn.

AWFUL REVENGE TAKEN BY GIRL

Instantly Kills Prominent Nashville Man.

Nashville, Tenn., April 27.—Isaac S. Morse, a well-known young business man of this city, was shot and almost instantly killed shortly before 8 o'clock this morning by Gertrude Douglas, in the office of the American Dry Cleaning Company. In the excitement that followed the shooting the young woman made her escape and was arrested an hour later in the office of a doctor.

When seen at the police headquarters after her arrest, Miss Douglas at first refused to make a statement, her agitation being so great that she could scarcely speak. Finally she said:

"Ike Morse has ruined me and he has been going with me for the last nine years. He couldn't throw me over and live. I met him in this city nine years ago."

There were only two other persons in the American Dry Cleaning Company office, where the victim of the shooting made his headquarters, at the time, and neither was an eye-witness to the tragedy. Walter Ewing and Owen Billups, two colored porters, were in the rear of the store and saw Miss Douglas talking to Morse for some ten minutes before the shooting. Thinking that she was a customer, they went on with their work, and only went into the front office when they heard the shots fired, and in time to catch Morse as he pitched forward and to see his assailant leaving the office by the front door.

Walter Ewing, one of the colored boys, says that he was first attracted by loud talking between his employer and the Douglas woman, and heard Mr. Morse say: "Go on and tend to your business!"

"It was just a few seconds after this," said Ewing, "when the shots were fired. I looked and he seemed to be starting forward toward the woman. She shot again and he fell back and I caught him. They were standing by the counter when the shooting took place and right close together."

NEGROES SLAIN BY CITY CLERK

While Trying to Break Up City Council Meeting.

Birmingham, Ala., April 27.—Two negroes were killed and one injured by City Clark J. M. oJnes, of East Lake, tonight in front of the city hall, while the council was in session. The negroes were trying to break up the meeting as a result of some of their friends having been arrested and convicted of running a blind tiger. Jones tried to quiet the crowd, when two of them fired upon him. He returned the fire, killing two and injuring a third.

ANTI-NEGRO TICKET WINS IN MUSKOGEE

Muskogee, Okla., April 27.—A. F. McGarr, democrat, representing the anti-negro ticket, was elected mayor of Muskogee today over Ira L. Reeves, republican, by a small majority, after one of the most spectacular campaigns in the city's history. The democrats won a majority of the council. Interest was intense, owing to the race issue. The republican ticket was regarded as favoring the negroes. Women prayed publicly during the day that the democrats would win.

NEW FAST MAIL TRAIN FOR THE SOUTHEAST

Chicago, April 27.—A new fast passenger and mail train, which will further promote business relations between Chicago and the southeastern market, has been decided upon by the Chicago and Eastern Illinois, the Evansville and Terre Haute, and the Louisville and Nashville railroads and their connections, according to an announcement made here today. The train will leave here on its first trip next Sunday morning at 2:20 o'clock. The train will carry sleepers for the southeast, which will be delivered to the Louisville and Nashville at Evansville, Ind. The sleepers will run to Nashville, Atlanta and other points on a fast schedule.

TAFT IS PRAYING FOR EARLY SMASH OF SOLID SOUTH

President Says in Philadelphia Address Matter Is Very Near His Heart.

BUSINESS MEN OF SOUTH TREMBLING IN BALANCE

They Are Ready, So Taft Thinks, to Break Away From Democracy — President Fires on Southern Congressmen Who Throw Cold Water on His Smashing Scheme.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 27.—President Taft tonight was the principal speaker at the Grant birthday dinner of the Union League in this city and paid a striking tribute to the soldier-president.

Mr. Taft was sharply criticised a year ago because of certain of his references to General Grant and he took advantage of tonight's opportunity to express anew his admiration for General Grant as a man, as a soldier and as chief executive of the United States.

President Taft, following his almost invariable custom, spoke extemporaneously, at times in a half quizzical manner, and there was frequent laughter as well as applause at his reference to political conditions in the south.

How Grant Fought South.

"There are certain things with respect to General Grant that today come back with reference to our passing life. They said that Grant had not the military genius that other generals displayed in the war. To my mind his mind and brains represented the very genius of the war to suppress the rebellion because it was his mind that grasped the thought that until we had fought it out with our brave opponents and met them in the field and fought them as soldiers, until we convinced them by our strength that the battle was hopeless, we could not expect to have a united country.

"And therefore, from the time he began in Belmont until he accepted the surrender of Lee at Appomattox, he fought not cities, not points of strategy, but he fought the enemy, and he fought and fought and fought until he wore out the opposition, because only by wearing them out could he hope to bring about the condition in which there should be complete peace. (Applause.)

Spirit of Appomattox Triumphant.

"What I wished particularly to dwell upon tonight was the spirit of the peace at Appomattox, represented on the one hand by the magnanimity and far-sightedness of Grant and by the self-restraint and courage and far-sighted patriotism (for that it was) on the part of Lee in bringing the struggle to a close. That spirit at Appomattox is today, I trust, triumphant. Between the two leaders it existed when the terms of the surrender were signed, but it was impossible under the conditions that spirit should control and make itself immediately manifest between the two sections. The conditions were such that that could not be.

"The remnants of slavery, the distressed condition of the south and the feelings that had been wrought between the two sections should not be downed by the mere expression of two such leaders as Grant and Lee, as it was necessary, I suppose, that we should go through that thirty or forty years in order that the rent which was made to the foundations of our country and of our civilization should be reunited in a common country, with a common spirit.

"But, what I mean to point out is, that that spirit we now rejoice in, as we find between the two sections no remaining bitterness, is a spirit that as between the two great commanders existed the day that they shook hands and signed the terms of surrender.

Closer Union of North and South.

"It is a matter that I have very much at heart. I believe it is possible to make the two sections even closer together. The south is a more homogeneous people than we. Emigration into this country spread over the north and west, not into the south, and the south preserved its traditions longer than did we in the north. Added to that trait and quality of theirs was the fact that for a long time the traces of war and the sufferings from war were present to them, and always they have present the colored race, to bring back recollection of the strife. Prosperity has come to the south.

"Some changes, I fear, are necessary in fixed economic principles to promote the business of the south. We are all in the same boat in a more emphatic sense than we ever were before in the history of the country—I mean business boat, and they of the south, especially their business men, are trembling in the balance of doubt as to just where they are politically. (Laughter.)

Independence Urged in South.

"In that condition I feel certain that the next decade or two will bring about a change in their political views, not necessarily to qualify them for membership in the Union League Club (laughter), but such as to fit them for independent action and at times to be willing, when opportunity offers, to vote for a different candidate from him who is supported by the solid south.

"I am not making a republican speech, and I am not speaking from a republican standpoint; at least, I hope I can separate myself from that disposition natural to one who went through the last campaign. Speaking from the standpoint, I hope, of real patriotic interest in my country, I look forward into the next decade—not with the hope that the

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ABDUL HAMID IS DEPOSED

"WILL OF ALLAH," SAYS EX-SULTAN

RESCHAD GIVEN THRONE

101 Guns Thundered News That Elder Brother Had Been Supplanted by Younger.

MOSLEM POPE DECREED FALL OF ABDUL HAMID

As Soon as Sheik-Ul-Islam Acted, the National Assembly Deposed Abdul Hamid and Declared Reschad Sultan. Abdul Hamid to Be Kept in Constantinople.

Constantinople, April 27.—The reign of Abdul Hamid II. ended today with his deposition and the accession of his brother, Mehemmed Reschad Effendi, as Mehemed V., a variation of Mahomet, it being considered inappropriate to assume the precise name of the prophet.

Mehemed V. is the thirty-fifth sovereign of Turkey, in male descent, of the house of Osman, the founder of the empire, and the twenty-ninth sultan since the conquest of Constantinople.

Church Condemned Abdul Hamid.

The two houses of parliament, meeting as a national assembly in the forenoon, approved the decree of deposition, which was read by the Sheik-Ul-Islam, chief of the Ulemas, and supreme judge on ecclesiastical questions. The document recites that Abdul Hamid's acts were contrary to the sacred laws and set forth a long list of crimes, the whole making a terrible indictment. The assembly chose Mehemmed Reschad as sultan, and appointed committees to notify the dethroned sovereign and his successor of its action. The firing of 101 guns announced to the waiting people that a new sultan had been proclaimed.

The ceremonies connected with the transfer of the power were simple. The newly-chosen ruler came from his palace in Galata through the streets lined with troops and cheering thousands, and took the oath at the war office. He then proceeded to the parliament and later went to the Dolmabagtsche palace as head of the empire, where, for so many years, he had practically been a prisoner.

Martial Law Relaxed.

Martial law was relaxed tonight, and the people gave themselves over to celebrating the victory of the Young Turks party and the end of Abdul Hamid's reign. Many buildings were illuminated, and thousands of rounds were fired by the soldiers. General good humor prevailed eevrywhere.

The question of the new cabinet has not yet been settled, but it is thought that Ahmed Riza will be grand vizier, while some of his assistants will probably be Hilma Pasha, the former premier, as minister of the interior; Djavid Bey, as minister of finance, and Rifaat Pasha, as minister of foreign affairs.

The Sheik-Ul-Islam, supported by all the principal personages of the higher church administration, issued the Fetva, as the decree of deposition is called. It informed Mehemmed Reschad Effendi that he was chosen sultan by the will of the church, the will of the parliament, the will of the army and the will of the people. It admonished him to serve God and keep the sacred law as communicated by the prophet. This Reschad humbly promised to do.

It Is the Will of Allah.

The Fetva was prepared last night, both Abdul Hamid and his father, Prince Reschad, being informed at an early hour this morning. The Sheik-Ul-Islam, it is said, personally visited the sultan and read him the decree. He informed his majesty that the question having been put in canonical form before the Sheik and his assistants as to whether Abdul Hamid had not forfeited

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82 SALOONS CLOSED IN DAY

Another Indiana County Carried by "Dry" Forces.

Delaware County Against Whisky by 2,800—Chillicothe, Ohio, Votes Today. Seaborn Wright and George Stuart in the Thick of Fight.

Muncie, Ind., April 27.—Delaware county today voted dry in a county option election by a majority estimated at 2,600. Muncie, the county seat, gave the "drys" a majority of 213. The result of the election in this county here today was awaited with great interest, as Muncie is, so far, the largest city to vote on the saloon question. Eighty-two saloons will be closed.

The next county option election in which a struggle is expected is in Tippecanoe county next Friday, Lafayette, the county seat, has 101 saloons.

Up to the present forty-five of the ninety-two counties of the state have voted dry under the local option law.

Hot Campaign Closes at Chillicothe.

Chillicothe, Ohio, April 27.—With big meetings held by both "wet" and "dry" adherents in different parts of the city tonight the campaign was closed preparatory to the voting tomorrow in the local option election which has stirred Ross county for a month past.

Defying a proclamation of Mayor Yaple, the non-voters' parade was held this afternoon, 2,500 being in line, the parade being principally women and children.

There was no interference on the part of the police or from sympathizers with the "wets."

Seaborn Wright Speaks.

The principal speeches tonight were by Rev. Smilley, of Kansas, opposing local option, and Seaborn Wright, of Georgia, favoring it.

Rev. George Parke, an evangelist, was assaulted by a "wet" advocate tonight and sustained a bad cut over the eye. Numerous minor affrays have occurred.

One thousand women held a meeting in the First Presbyterian church this morning and divided Ross county into districts and made arrangements for work at the polls tomorrow.

Women Guard George Stuart.

Last night one hundred W. C. T. U. women stood guard around a big tent, while George Stuart, of Georgia, addressed the large crowd. The women took this action because they allege that the "wets" cut the tent ropes at a big "dry" meeting during a storm Sunday night.

John Carper, at Adelphi, was arrested at the instance of the "drys" organization, charged with illegally giving away whisky in "dry" territory. He came to Chillicothe yesterday for "wet" goods, held a "wet" meeting with friends last night, pleaded guilty in court today and was fined $100 and costs.

BRYAN IS INDORSED BY FLORIDA HOUSE

Action in the Nature of a Rebuke to Congressman Clark.

Tallahassee, Fla., April 27.—The Florida house of representatives today adopted a resolution indorsing "the democracy of the matchless and peerless leader of the democratic party, William Jennings Bryan." This action is in the nature of a rebuke to Congressman Clark, of Florida, who recently criticised Mr. Bryan in a speech in congress.

Governor Gilchrist will entertain Mr. Bryan on the occasion of the Nebraskan's visit to Florida to make answer to the criticisms of Representative Clark. Mr. Bryan has accepted the invitation of the general assembly to address that body, but has not yet fixed upon a date.

Died on Gunboat Helena.

Washington, April 27.—Floyd C. Townsend, a seaman of the United States gunboat Helena, died at Shanghai, China, today of smallpox. He is a son of Mrs. L. P. Townsend, of Dallas, Tex.

DECATUR ST. LOT BRINGS $28,000

Patrick Lyons Pays $248 Per Foot for Greenfield Lot.

Patrick Lyons, of the Atlanta Brewing and Ice Company, has purchased from the David Greenfield estate the lot at the corner of Decatur and Butler streets for $28,000.

The sale was made public yesterday when the bond for title on the property was filed by Mr. Lyons with the clerk of the superior court. He will hold the property as an investment. The lot has a frontage of 113 feet on Decatur street, and runs back a distance of 65 feet on Butler street, making the price per front foot about $248.

Georgia Postmasters.

Washington, April 27.—(Special.)—George W. Goss has been appointed regular and James H. Goss sub carrier of route 19 at Elberton.

Postmasters appointed: Erick, Montgomery county, Charles M. Bailey, vice J. E. Cockfield resigned; Whitestone, Pickens county, Robert H. Nix, vice J. C. McCraney resigned.

PASS INCOME TAX AND TIE TONGUES OF ANARCHISTS

So Cries Bailey in Urging the Senate to Adopt His Amendment.

RICH MEN SHOULD PAY FOR THEIR PROTECTION

Passage of Income Tax Law, Says Bailey, Would Do More to Check Anarchy Than All Benefactions of Multi-Millionaires — Bailey Defends Constitutionality of the Tax.

IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Washington, April 27.—The most important happenings in the nation's capital today were as follows:

Prospects for the president's proposed trip through the west during the coming summer assumed a brighter hue, Chairman Tawney, of the house appropriations committee, announcing, after a conference with Mr. Taft, that he would offer a bill appropriating $25,000 for the president's traveling expenses for the current fiscal year.

After a long battle, former Representative Joseph W. Babcock, of Wisconsin, who was at one time chairman of the national republican congressional committee, was claimed by death.

Speeches for and against a protective tariff occupied the day's session of the senate, Mr. Bailey, of Texas, continuing his remarks, begun yesterday, in which he was supported in the main by Mr. Gore, of Oklahoma. Mr. Scott, of West Virginia, discussed the subject from the republican standpoint.

The new Turkish government will be promptly recognized by the state department as soon as official advices of the changed conditions in the near east are forwarded by Ambassador Leishman.

For the third time in less than two months, President Taft left the capital, on this occasion to attend the Grant celebration in Philadelphia.

Washington, April 27.—As the last half of his two days' speech, Senator Bailey devoted nearly three hours in the senate today to a discussion of the legal aspects of his income tax amendment to the tariff bill, citing numerous cases and authorities to maintain the view that such a law would be constitutional.

He was interrupted frequently by senators, who, at times, offered objections to his position or suggested authorities to sustain him. The galleries were crowded.

Senator Bailey discussed the nature of direct taxation, and said that question had never been satisfactorily settled

Weather Prophecy

SHOWERS.

Georgia—Showers Wednesday; Thursday showers on the coast; fair, warmer in the interior; light, variable winds becoming northeast.

Local Data.

Lowest temperature	57
Highest temperature	66
Mean temperature	62
Normal Temperature	64
Rainfall in 24 hours, inches	.46
Excess since 1st of month, inches	1.29
Excess since January 1, inches	3.29

From Various Stations.

Stations and State of Weather.	Temp'ature 7 p.m.	Temp'ature High	Rain 12 h'rs inches.
Atlanta, pt. cloudy	61	66	.46
Abilene, clear	76	80	.28
Augusta, cloudy	68	70	.28
Boston, cloudy	44	50	.00
Buffalo, cloudy	40	64	.28
Baltimore, cloudy	52	56	T.
Charleston, rain	66	68	.24
Charlotte, rain	58	72	.24
Chattanooga, pt. cl'dy	66	68	.18
Chicago, clear	44	52	T.
Cincinnati, clear	56	62	.82
Corpus Christi, cl'dy	76	76	T.
Detroit, clear	44	56	.04
Dodge, clear	62	64	.00
Galveston, rain	74	78	.02
Huron, cloudy	48	52	.00
Jacksonville, cloudy	78	84	.00
Jupiter, clear	80	84	.00
Key West, clear	78	86	.00
Knoxville, cloudy	60	64	.14
Los Angeles, pt. cl'dy	62	64	.00
Memphis, cloudy	68	78	.36
Mobile, cloudy	72	80	.02
Montgomery, cloudy	70	74	.46
New Orleans, cloudy	72	82	.12
New York, rain	46	52	.00
Norfolk, rain	52	64	.04
Omaha, cloudy	52	54	.00
Palestine, pt. cloudy	72	74	.08
Portland, Me., cloudy	38	40	.00
Raleigh, rain	62	74	T.
Rapid City, cloudy	42	50	T.
Savannah, cloudy	68	71	.08
San Francisco, cl'dy	54	62	.00
St. Louis, clear	56	62	.00
St. Paul, clear	56	62	.00
St. Paul, clear	42	44	.00
Tacoma, pt. cloudy	52	54	.00
Tampa, pt. cloudy	78	82	.00
Thomasville, rain	68	80	.44
Vicksburg, clear	72	74	.01
Wilmington, cloudy	66	72	.01

T indicates inappreciable rainfall.

W. V. MARTIN,
Acting Section Director.

HOMER N. M'AFEE HURT IN RUNAWAY

New Horse, Becoming Frightened, Throws Him to Ground.

While driving a new horse yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock on Emmett street, near the waterworks, for a tryout, Homer N. McAfee, one of the best known young men of the city, was seriously hurt in a runaway when his horse became frightened. The buggy was overturned and Mr. McAfee was caught under it and dragged quite a distance. When he was rescued he was unconscious, and it was necessary that he be taken to a local sanitarium, where he is now reported to be better.

When the news reached town, A. T. Newsome, at whose stable Mr. McAfee's horses are quartered, jumped into the ambulance of the Greenberg, Bond & Bloomfield Company, undertakers, and went to the rescue. Mr. McAfee was conscious when he was taken into the ambulance, but on the way to town he lapsed into unconsciousness.

Mr. McAfee lives at the Majestic hotel with his brother, Hugh McAfee. He travels for a Chicago trunk house.

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by the continental congress, by the federation that followed, nor by the constitutional convention. He said it was a matter of regret that framers of the constitution did not satisfacorily define what a direct tax was.

Foes of Income Tax Denounced.

Reviewing one case after another, Mr. Bailey quoted from court opinions and other authorities to substantiate his contention respecting the constitutionality of an income tax. He then departed for a time from his purely legal argument and launched into a denunciation of men, who, he said, resist the income tax as inquisitorial and calculated to make the United States a "nation of liars."

"That this tax is inquisitorial," said Mr. Bailey, "is true, but not more so than any other tax. To compel me to tell the source of my income, as is done in the state in which I live, is as inquisitorial as to compel me to tell the amount of my income.

"The curiosity of the state assessor is such that he not only compels you to file an inventory of your own property, but requires you to file an inventory of your wife's ornaments. Every tax must be inquisitorial, because, otherwise, the honest men would pay it, and the dishonest men would escape it."

"Nation of Liars" Argument.

He then took up the plea that such a tax would make us a nation of liars, and said:

"I will not insult the American people by repeating that charge, but I will resent it as an unwarranted reflection upon our people. I do not think a self-respecting citizen will lie to escape the payment of a tax, and if I should find a man who would commit perjury to escape taxation, I would favor disfranchising him. It may be that rich men will tells lie to avoid paying an income tax, but I will not say so, although some of them say it of themselves.

"I hold no brief to defend the rich men of America. It is not incumbent upon me to stand up here and say they will pay their taxes when so many of them say they will not.

"I know some of them will escape an income tax, because I know many of them escape their present taxes. I know it is said that it is not considered a lack of respectability for a New York millionaire to swear a lie to escape his taxes. I hope no man is justified in saying that, because I cannot comprehend how a man can revel in luxury and perjure his immortal soul to escape the payment of taxes."

Rich Should Pay for Protection.

The rich man, Mr. Bailey said, should be willing to pay for the protection of his property over which armies and navies "stand in solemn guard." For himself, if he were counsel for the rich, he would advise them not only to support, but to advocate an income tax law.

"And if they would do that," said Mr. Bailey, "they would do more to silence anarchy than all the benefactions and charities they can do. It seems to me there are rich men who are willing to give benefactions in order to have them published, who are not willing to pay their fair portion of the expenses of the government."

Senator Rayner asked whether the senator from Texas was not satisfied with the reading of the first and second opinions of Justice Brown in the income tax cases that he changed his mind, and Mr. Bailey said, in reply, that it was generally supposed that it was Justice Shiras who changed his opinion.

Which Justice Changed.

"I do not say it was Shiras," said Mr. Bailey. "I have had it from a reputableman close to Shiras that he yas not the man. I have heard that it was Justice Gray who changed his opinion."

Mr. Rayner said he did not refer to that particular change. He said that the reading of the two opinions of Justice Brown in the income tax case convinced him that he had changed his opinion on the constitutionality of the tax.

"I do not know what justice changed," said Mr. Bailey.

"I regret that any one changed. I do not hesitate to say that when an honest man changes his opinion, he states his position. I think the justices of our courts are incorruptible, but I do not, by any means, believe they are infallible."

As Mr. Bailey concluded his remarks, he was congratulated by a large number of democratic and republican senators who surrounded him.

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TICKETS ON SALE FOR TISSUE BALL

Great Event for Benefit of Boys' Club Attracting Much Interest.

Tickets are now on sale at No. 8 West Alabama street for the tissue paper ball, which is to be given in the Auditorium-Armory on May 14 for the benefit of the Boys' Club. This promises to be the stellar social event of the spring.

Already 2,000 favors have been made for distribution among the dancers who are to take part in this novel and beautiful spectacle. The decorations will include, among other things, 250 pennants.

Among the special dances arranged are the barn dance, which will be participated in by seventy-five boys and girls, the boys as sunflowers and the girls as poppies; the younger boys will go dressed as roosters and the girls as sunbonnet girls.

Another picturesque dance will be the butterfly dance, which will be followed by the Dutch dance, in which Miss Nan duBignon is to take a leading role.

The Riley dance, to be danced by thirty-two young matrons and society girls of the city, will be another big feature.

After the spectacular dances comes the refreshments, which are to be followed by a general cotillion led by Thomas B. Paine and John W. Grant.

The seats are going rapidly, for in addition to the delights of dancing it promises to be one of the most interesting affairs of the season. The number of out-of-own reservations are unusually large. The price of tickets for those who wish to dance and enjoy the dinner to be served is $5 for the couple. The boxes are to be sold for $15 for the six-seated ones, and $10 for the four-seated ones. Only ladies with tissue paper dresses will be admitted to the floor for dancing.

MORTUARY

Mrs. Hattie Quinn.

The funeral of Mrs. Hattie Quinn, who died on April 13 at her residence, 349 Oak street, will take place this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the private chapel of Greenberg, Bond & Bloomfield. Rev. Drs. Ward and Purser will officiate. Interment in Westview.

J. W. May, LaGrange, Ga.

LaGrange, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—J. W. May, an old confederate veteran 76 years of age, died here at an early hour this morning. Interment being in Hillview cemetery this afternoon. He is survived by five children, E. L. May, Mrs. J. W. P. Smith, of this city; T. J. May, of Texas; Mrs. A. Wilson, of Opelika, Ala., and Mrs. J. A. Allen, of Big Springs.

Mrs. W. J. Phillips, Monticello.

Monticello, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—After an illness of three days with pneumonia Mrs. Wiley J. Phillips died today. Funeral services will occur from the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. W. T. Granado officiating. Before her marriage Mrs. Phillips was Miss Corinne Fish, and besides her husband and two children she leaves a mother and father, Captain and Mrs. Nathan Fish.

Death of an Infant.

John R., the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Cunningham, died at the residence, No. 8 High street, yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock. The funeral will take place this morning at the residence at 11:30 o'clock. Interment in Utoy churchyard.

J. W. Hyde, Carnesville, Ga.

Carnesville, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—J. W. Hyde, aged about 36 years, died at the residence of his father near this place late yesterday afternoon. He leaves a wife and four small children. The remains were interred at Zidon church.

THE SEABOARD.

Only 4 hours and 30 minutes to Birmingham. The QUICKEST and SHORTEST way. Effective May 2.

Used Toe to Pull Trigger.

Madisonvile, Ky., April 27.—Hardin S. Sharp of St. Charles, near this city, committed suicide at his home today by placing his toe against the trigger of a shotgun and blowing off his head. He was thirty years of age, and leaves a wife and three children. His mind is thought to have been unbalanced.

NURSES CHOSE ATLANTA FOR NEXT CONVENTION

Mrs. Agnes C. Hartridge, of Augusta, Was Elected President.

Augusta, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—The state convention of nurses adjourned about 1:30 o'clock Tuesday, after electing officers and selecting Atlanta as the next meeting place.

The election resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Agnes C. Hartridge, of Augusta; first vice president, Miss Emily H. Dendy, of Augusta; second vice president, Miss Finley, of Atlanta; recording secretary, Miss Mary Moran, of Augusta; corresponding secretary, Miss Angelica Sullivan, of Augusta; treasurer, Miss Margaret Stevenson, of Augusta.

WOLF HOWLS AT DOOR OF MOTHER AND BABE

Mrs. Etta Smith Is Without Money and Without Food.

Confined to her bed, nursing a baby less than forty-eight hours old, without money, Mrs. Etta Smith, of No. 1 Howells Mill Road, was yesterday afternoon found in a most pitiable condition. There was practically nothing to eat in the house at the time, it is said. The husband's whereabouts are unknown. Besides her new-born babe, she has another child less than four years of age.

The woman's condition was discoveredby Ben Green, of 795 Marietta street, who has known Mrs. Smith for a number of years. Mr. Green states that just one week ago the unfortunate woman's husband left her, knowing that she had no means of support. She has no relatives in the city able to assist her, Mr. Green states. Provision was made for the immediate wants of the three, but outside assistance will be necessary to support the family until Mrs. Smith is able to go to work.

NEW OFFICE IS MADE FOR CHARLES TULLER

Secretary and Treasurer Exposition Cotton Mills Becomes Vice President.

Charles D. Tuller, formerly secretary and treasurer of the Exposition Cotton Mills, has been elected vice president of that concern. P. E. Glenn, a prominent business man of Jeffersonville, Ga., succeeds Mr. Tuller as secretary and treasurer. Dr. D. J. Turner is still at the head of the company.

Dr. Turner has been in ill-health for some months past, and on this account, felt the need of an assistant. Hence Mr. Tuller's election to the vice presidency. Mr. Tuller has been with the company for more than twenty-five years, and is thoroughly acquainted with the duties of his new office. Mr. Glenn was formerly cashier of the Twiggs County bank, at Jeffersonville, and was prominently identified with numerous business interests in his section of the state.

CLAIMED HIS PHYSICIAN HAD RUINED HIS HOME

Florida Man Fires Five Shots at His Doctor, Three Bullets Taking Effect.

Quincy, Fla., April 27.—J. S. Shaw, of the firm of Shaw Brothers, this afternoon fired five shots at Dr. J. C. Keaton, a practicing physician of this place. Three bullets took effect. Keaton will recover. Shaw claimed the doctor had ruined his home.

RARE OLD EDITIONS ARE SPALDING'S HOBBY

"Every man should have a hobby," said Charles Lamb, "even though it should be nothing more than collecting odd pieces of string."

Albert Spalding, the wonderful young violinist, who is to play in the Great Southern Music Festival Wednesday evening next, has fallen into the habit of collecting rare editions of old books. A short while ago he picked up a 1788 edition of Shakespeare in twenty volumes, with notes by Samuel Johnson, and antique plate engravings that stood out clear and quaintly beautiful, despite the century and a quarter that had settled upon them. The books were formerly owned by two different noble families of England, who had their coats of arms printed in the bindings.

YOUNG COUPLE ELOPE.

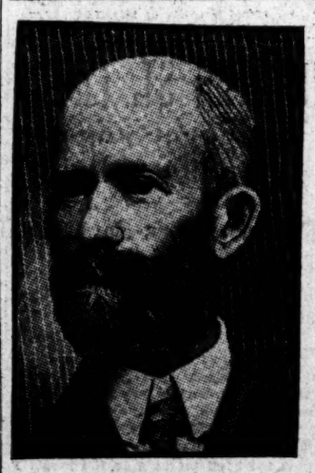
Married at Washington After Memorial Day Exercises.

Washington, Ga., April 27.—(Special.) Following the memorial exercises at the courthouse here yesterday afternoon, there occurred a very romantic marriage, in which Miss Eva Butler, of this county, and Mr. George Moon, of Madison county, were the principals. The ceremony was a very quiet one, and was performed by Justice E. D. Beard, of Danburg, who was in the city yesterday attending the meeting of the veterans and the Memorial day celebration.

So quietly was the affair carried out that not more than a dozen people were aware of the occurrence until the young couple had made their departure. Mr. Moon is a prominent young farmer of Madison county. Mrs. Moon is a member of one of Wilkes county's prominent families.

JUDGE F. J. MARSHALL IS PAID HIGH HONOR

Judge F. J. Marshall, of College Park, has just returned from a three weeks' stay in Chicago, where he has served as one of a committee of eight repre-



F. J. MARSHALL,
Well-Known Poultry Man.

senting different sections of the United States and Canada engaged in the work of revising and enlarging the American Standard of Perfection, the recognized guide for the breeding and judging of thoroughbred poultry in America. This work has been in existence for over thirty-five years. It is revised and a new edition printed once in five years, when new breeds are admitted and changes made in the wording and descriptions of old breeds, as the trade and improvement in them demands. Judge Marshall is the only member from the south on this important committee.

TWO ORDINANCES ARE ACTED UPON

Meter Inspector and Insurance Ordinances Go in Effect January 1, 1910.

Two ordinances which have been interesting the members of the general council for some time were acted upon by the ordinance committee yesterday afternoon. Both received favorable reports, but were not made effective until January 1, 1910.

One of the ordinances calls for the appointment of a city meter inspector. This ordinance was introduced in council by ex-Alderman James L. Key some two years ago. By amendment the salary will be $1,200 a year.

The other ordinance calls for the appointment of a council committee of five to look after the city's insurance. The original ordinance called for a committee composed of the chairmen of the committee on schools, sanitary affairs, streets, hospitals, police, public buildings and waterworks.

Alderman Huddleston introduced the ordinance calling for the insurance committee. He presented to the committee the following statement of what insurance the city carries:

	Amount Carried.	Premium.
City Hall	$ 105,000	$ 2,158.04
Police Department	17,500	307.50
Prison Department	14,500	799.99
Grady Hospital	60,750	1,182.00
Edgewood, or 9th Ward	25,000	223.25
Health Department	5,500	335.31
Oakland Cemetery	2,000	50.00
Waterworks	182,830	3,972.10
School Department	403,030	5,000.41
Park Department	30,000	1,526.82
Carnegie Library	123,250	1,243.00
Sanitary Department	37,400	1,999.50
Totals	$1,029,260	$18,797.27

The committee read a communication from the cemetery commission, in which it was stated that there was not sufficient police protection at Oakland cemetery to prevent the desecration of graves by the removal of flowers.

TAFT WORRIED BY SOLID SOUTH

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south shall become republican and make the country all republican, for staunch as I am in my support of the republican party, I think a good opposition, good, strong opposition, is necessary to make the republican party, if it is to control the government, useful to the people, and a defeat at times would not hurt it.

"What I am looking forward to is a division in the parties in the south, so that there shall be tolerance of political opinion there, so that in their state government and in their national affairs there shall be more than one political creed to be subscribed to and supported. I believe that generally through the south the men who are not actively engaged in politics would recognize that end as one devoutly to be wished.

Shot at Southern Congressmen.

"In expressing these desires, I am quite conscious that my motives are likely to be misconstrued, or, at least, that I shall have attributed to me rather more political policy than patriotic desire, but nevertheless, I persist in expressing it, and while some of my friends from the south, who represent that section in congress and in the senate, are constantly throwing cold water on my attempts to encourage a little independence of political thinking in the south and saying that it is hopeless for me to attempt to bring about a change in that regard, they will excuse me if I attribute to them a little of that political prejudice that they think is actuating me (laughter), and it is possible they would not welcome that division of political opinion in the south with all the fervor of some other patriots in that section who do not hold now the position of representative and senator in Washington. But however it is, I feel certain that the real spirit of Appomattox is marching on, and that it is infusing itself in the people of the south as it was long ago infused in the people of the north, and that we are growing closer and closer together and that it will manifest itself in political independence the country over, so that we shall not know each other by sections in political matters, but by difference only in principles."

President Taft left for Washington at 12:14 o'clock this morning.

Receivers of A. B. A.

Receivers Atkinson and Parrott, of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic railroad, are now in the east and are expected to return to Atlanta the latter part of this week. They have been gone about two weeks. It is believed they are in New York and Boston for the purpose of securing funds with which to complete the extension of the road into Birmingham from Pelham, Ala., and to build a track to the coal mine properties of the company.

J. G. MANNING, OF 216 BRYAN STREET, and Mrs. M. E. Mehaffey, of the same address, were married at the residence of Rev. C. J. Thompson, 20 East avenue, last night at 9 o'clock. The bride is proprietor of a boarding house at which Manning has been living.

FOOD FACTS

What an M. D. Learned.

A prominent Georgia physician went through a food experience which he makes public:

"It was my own experience that first led me to advocate Grape-Nuts food and I also know, from having prescribed it to convalescents and other weak patients, that the food is a wonderful rebuilder and restorer of nerve and brain tissue, as well as muscle. It improves the digestion and sick patients always gain just as I did in strength and weight very rapidly.

"I was in such a low state that I had to give up my work entirely, and went to the mountains of this state, but two months there did not improve me; in fact, I was not quite as well as when I left home.

"My food did not sustain me and it became plain that I must change. Then I began to use Grape-Nuts food and in two weeks I could walk a mile without fatigue, and in five weeks returned to my home and practice, taking up hard work again. Since that time I have felt as well and strong as I ever did in my life.

"As a physician who seeks to help all sufferers, I consider it a duty to make these facts public."

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YOUNG BOWDEN COUPLE MARRIED OVER LONG DISTANCE PHONE

Carrollton, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—For the twenty-first time in the history of Carroll county and in the experience of J. T. Norman, J. P., a marriage ceremony was performed by long-distance telephone, the contracting parties being Joe Creed and Miss Essie Fowler. The justice was seated at the telephone at Carrollton, with authority in hand and the young couple, standing at the phone of J. W. Barrow, at Bowdon), 12 miles distant, were pronounced man and wife.

The justice expressed his regret that he couldn't be present and receive his fees for services rendered. However, on inquiry he found that the young couple had run away and had already traveled several miles in order to even get to the telephone and in talking distance of an officer to perform the marriage.

RESCHAD IN PLACE OF ABDUL HAMID

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the right to rule over the faithful, they had decided "Yes."

Abdul bowed his head saying:

"It is the will of Allah."

At a secret sitting of the national assembly in the morning the decree was read. It declared that Abdul Hamid II. must abdicate or be dethroned. The assembly unhesitatingly shouted:

"Dethrone him."

A deputation, consisting of two senators and two deputies, thereupon visited the palace at Yildiz and communicated to the sultan the assembly's resolution.

"It is Fate," Said Abdul Hamid.

Abdul Hamid replied:

"I expected this. It is fate. My only wish is that the lives of myself and family may be safeguarded and that I may reside at the palace of Cheraghan, as I wish to die where I was born."

A similar deputation proceeded to the Dolmabagtsche palace in Galata and informed Mehemmed Reschad Effendi of the nation's wish. The newly proclaimed sultan replied that he bowed to the will of the people.

Later the assembly debated the momentous question of Abdul Hamid's future residence. The suggestion that he be allowed to travel abroad was strongly opposed on the ground that it might cause complications. It was finally decided that he must remain at Constantinople.

At 2:30 in the afternoon a salute of 21 guns announced the departure of Mehemmed Reschad to the Seraskerat to swear fidelity to the constitution. Had his succession followed the death of the sultan this ceremony would have occurred at the Top-Kahou palace, where the relics of the prophet are reserved, but as the succession ensued as the result of the dethronement of the ruler, the ceremony was held at the war office.

Sultan-Elect Crosses Bosphorus.

The sultan-elect came by boat across the Bosphorus to Stamboul. He landed near the Sublime Porte and thence proceeded to the Seraskerat in a closed carriage, drawn by black horses.

A large detachment of cavalry acted as an escort and carriages containing his sons and his suite followed.

Troops lined the entire route, comprising regulars and volunteers of all nationalities of the empire and enthusiastic crowds watched the procession and acclaimed the new ruler.

Ahmed Riza, the former president of the chamber of deputies, and General Schefket and his officers received Mehemmed Reschad at the portals of the war office. All kissed the prince's hand. He was plainly dressed, wearing a black frock coat, and appeared happy and radiant. He was ushered into the great hall by the entire cabinet, where had assembled the representatives of the nation and state dignitaries, civil, military and ecclesiastical. The prince expressed the wish to perform ablutions and say prayers.

New Ruler Takes the Oath.

Shortly before 4 o'clock the prince solemnly subscribed to the oath, which was administered by the Sheik-Ul-Islam. A mollah offered prayers for the welfare of the new sultan and the prosperity of the nation, and the assemblage responded "Amen."

The batteries boomed an announcement to the city that a new ruler had been sworn in to office while all present congratulated Mehemmed V., who immediately proceeded to the Top-Kahou palace to venerate the relics.

Returning by the Galata bridge to Dolmabagtsche palace, where he will take up his residence, the new sultan was enthusiastically cheered by great crowds all along the way, to which he responded by saluting repeatedly. Enver Bey, one of the prominent leaders of the Young Turks, who followed the procession, was recognized and received a tremendous ovation.

Rejoicings Seem Genuine.

The rejoicings seemed genuine and sincere, and as though by some strange intuition, picture post cards of the new sultan appeared in the streets like magic, and found a great sale. The streets, ships and harbor are gay with bunting, and the weather has been perfect.

Subsequently, in receiving a deputation from the national assembly, Mehemed said:

"I am pleased to become the first constitutional sovereign. Doubtless my successor will improve upon me, but you may rely upon my doing my best. I also have suffered oppression and can therefore enter into the feelings of my fellow sufferers. Let us endeavor to work together for the welfare of the country."

Sigh of Relief by Abdul Hamid.

When the assembly deputation arrived at the Yildiz, the Fetva of the Sheik-Ul-Islam was handed to Ali Djevad Bey, first secretary, for communication to Abdul Hamid, who, in an inner apartment, was guarded by fifteen eunuchens. Djavad Bey tried to gain admittance by knocking, and after this was continued for some fifteen minutes the door was opened and Abdul Hamid appeared. He accepted the Fetva without comment. The deputation was then ushered into his presence, and the spokesman said:

"You do no longer reign over us."

Abdul Hamid gave a deep sigh of relief upon being informed that no designs were entertained against his life.

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WELL-KNOWN HOTEL MAN DIES AT TATE SPRING

Captain Thomas Tomlinson Passes Away After Only Brief Illness.

Tate Spring, Tenn., April 27.—(Special.)—Captain Thomas Tomlinson, for more than thirty years proprietor of the Tate Spring hotel, at Tate Spring, Tenn., and one of the best-known hotel men in the entire south, died this morning shortly after 2 o'clock. He had been sick only a short time.

Captain Tomlinson was one of the most prominent figures of east Tennessee. Enlisting in the first regiment which went from his section to the civil war, he served throughout the struggle with signal bravery. During the trying times of reconstruction days a band of lawless men attempted to drive the captain from his home, but failed. With the return of prosperity to the south, the captain also prospered, and for many years the Tate Spring hotel has been famed all over the country.

At the time of his death Captain Tomlinson was 80 years of age. He is survived by his wife and several children, among them Hon. John W. Tomlinson, of Birmingham, Ala., member of the national democratic executive committee, and Messrs. Clem and Oscar Tomlinson, of Tate Spring.

Eleven Men Killed on Gunboat

Naples, April 27.—Eleven men were killed and eleven others were wounded as a result of an explosion here yesterday on board the Italian submarine Foca. The American gunboat Scorpion, although only 90 feet distant from the Foca, suffered no damage.

Others have made big profits on Ansley Park auction sales in the past. Your chance comes at the auction sale at 2:30 this afternoon.

Harris Waves Hearing.

Warrenton, Va., April 27.—Preliminary hearing was waived today in the case of J. D. Harris, principal of the high school here, who shot W. A. Thompson, associate editor of The Warrenton Virginian, Sunday last in the street here, Thompson dying in Washington the following day.

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METHODISTS MAY PRAY STANDING OR KNEELING

Ruling Is Made by the Preachers of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 27.—When ministers of the Methodist church in Cincinnati desire to offer prayer on their bended knees they will do so, but if they desire to offer them standing or in any other position, they may select, they can do so without offending against any rule of the local ministerial association.

At the regular meeting of the association yesterday, Rev. J. G. Schall proposed a rule to compel ministers to kneel when offering prayer, but the proposition was defeated by being laid on the table. Rev. C. C. Peale, in opposing the proposed rule, said:

"It is unwise to have any rule about the matter of getting down on the knees to pray, because no rule is good unless it is enforced, and I don't see just who is about here to enforce this matter of the ministers kneeling. I think it is a matter which should be left to the discretion of the individual minister."

Clinchfield, the Coal of Quality, is best for every use.

ROOSEVELT AND SON SHOOT SMALL GAME

They Get a Grant's Gazelle and a Hartbeest.

Nairobi, April 27.—Theodore Roosevelt and his son Kermit had sufficiently recovered today from the fatigue connected with their first shooting trips and their journey from Kapiti Plains station to the ranch of Sir Alfred Pease on the Athi river, to go out shooting this morning for small game. They were successful in getting a grant's gazelle and a hartbeest.

The Roosevelt party decided today to remain for a week at the Pease r[illegible]h, and with this stay in view a [illegible]ber of cases of stores were sent [illegible] the American camp today.

[illegible]he smallpox among the porters of Roosevelt caravan has been check-

WALL PAPER

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IMPORTANT CHANGES MADE BY SOUTHERN

Cooper General Agent at Memphis—Harris Succeeds Cooper.

Washington, April 27.—Important changes in the organization of the Southern Railway Company to become effective May 1 were announced at the headquarters of the company here today as follows:

Carroll P. Cooper, manager of the St. Louis-Louisville lines, appointed general agent at Memphis.

Vice President T. C. Powell relieved of supervision of the operating department of the St. Louis-Louisville lines, but will continue to represent the Southern as a director of the St. Louis Terminal Company, and of the Kentucky and Indiana Bridge Company.

C. L. Harris, superintendent at Knoxville, appointed general superintendent of the St. Louis-Louisville lines; jurisdictions of Alexander Stewart, general superintendent of motive power and equipment; D. W. Lum, chief engineer maintenance of way, and G. W. Taylor, general superintendent of transportation extended over the St. Louis-Louisville lines.

When Dry, Drink Pep-To-Lac, A delicious, refreshing, thirst-quenching beverage—contains no "dope" or heart stimulant. 5 cents at all fountains.

JOSEPH W. BABCOCK CLAIMED BY DEATH

For Years Chairman of Republican Congressional Committee.

Washington, April 27.—Former Representative Joseph W. Babcock, of Wisconsin, for fourteen years a member of the lower house of congress, and for many years chairman of the national republican congressional committee, died at his home here at 9:45 a. m. today. He was 59 years old.

Babcock had been ill for some weeks with a complication of liver and kidney troubles.

Mr. Babcock was known principally for the work he performed for the election of the republican congress as chairman of the republican congressional commitee. He was regarded among his colleagues when he was in the house as one of the shrewdest politicians in congress. As chairman of the republican congressional committee, Mr. Babcock managed six campaigns for the election of a republican house, not one of which did he lose. He was a native of Swanton, Vt.

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NO DISAGREEMENT, STATES M'LENDON

Refuses to Express Opinion on Cotton Rate.

Chairman of Railroad Commission Has Merely Presented Some Facts Bearing on Subject—Says He Will Express His Opinion Later.

Chairman S. G. McLendon, of the railroad commission, asserts that he has not fallen out with Governor Hoke Smith; it's all talk he says.

"Disagreement? Why there's no disagreement between the governor and myself except in the newspapers," he said when asked about the reported clash between them regarding port rates on cotton.

Then he was asked point blank his opinion as to the proposed reduction of 5 cents per 100 pounds on cotton from interior points to the Georgia ports.

"I have not expressed any opinion on that subject," the chairman replied, "and shall not until I reach the point of voting. I am not now voting on that subject."

Then the chairman proceeded to the discussion of some "facts" regarding port rates on cotton which he had prepared for the consideration of the railroad commission.

He explained why he compared the port rates on cotton in Georgia with those in Alabama and Texas. These are about the only cotton states in which conditions are similar to those in Georgia, he said.

The Rates in Other States.

Then he pointed out how the port rates on cotton both in Texas and Alabama are higher than those now existing in Georgia. Take, for instance, the rate from Dallas and Fort Worth to Galveston, which is 55 cents per 100 pounds, while the rate from Rome, Ga., to Savannah, which is about the same distance, is 45 cents.

The rate from Birmingham, Ala., to Mobile is 45 cents; from Atlanta to Savannah, similar in distance, 43 cents.

And so the comparison runs, Chairman McLendon remarking that when he first began a study of the matter he was of the opinion that the Georgia rates were unduly and unjustly high. What his present opinion of them is he did not say.

Chairman McLendon again referred to the increasing number of idle freight cars as shown by the periodic reports of the car service association.

Nothing could induce him, however, to express his opinion as to the justice or injustice of the proposed reduction of 5 cents per hundred in the Georgia port rates on cotton.

Will Swallow Up the Morgan Case.

Reverting to the rate increases ordered by the railroads in this territory on grain, hay and provisions from Ohio river crossings into the southeast, against which protest has been entered by A. P. Morgan & Co., of Atlanta, and other Georgia merchants, Chairman McLendon expressed the opinion that the A. P. Morgan case would be swallowed up in the bigger and more comprehensive case also pending before the interstate commerce commission, and known as the case of the Cincinnati Shippers and Receivers' Association against all the railroads in southern and southeastern territory.

The Cincinnati case is to be argued before the interstate commerce commission in Washington on May 12. Chairman McLendon expressed the belief that as the result of this case, the national commission would order rate reductions all along the line, affecting many products and, in many cases, to a considerable extent.

"I do not believe the A. P. Morgan Company's petition will be granted by the interstate commerce commission," Chairman McLendon said, "and I so stated in a letter which I wrote to Judge J. K. Hines, our special attorney. I believe that case will be swallowed up in the Cincinnati case, and that whatever is to be done regarding it will be done in connection with the latter complaint."

Would Look on It as Disaster.

Chairman McLendon said the railroads would look upon such reductions as are sought in the Cincinnati case, and as some anticipate will be granted, as nothing short of disaster. Such reductions would amount to the loss of millions in the aggregate to the railroads.

If the national commission grants material reductions all along the line from Cincinnati and the west into southern and southeastern territory, Chairman McLendon said unquestionably there would be a big howl from the cities of the east.

It will be recalled that some pretty heavy reductions in these rates from the west into the south were ordered by the interstate commerce commission in 1894. Eastern cities then protested loudly, but the reductions were not sustained by the courts for the reason that the commission did not have the rate-making power. The Cincinnati case now pending is the same case, practically, as was brought at that time, except that the national commission has since been given, under the Hepburn act, the rate-making power.

Must Consider Other Cases.

Chairman McLendon says that in doing justice to all interests in the matter of interstate rates, he and the other members of the commission are compelled to take matters such as these into consideration, and for that reason he makes careful and analytical study of them.

His expressed views in this case are supposed to account for the fact reported at the capitol, that he opposed the proposition that the Georgia commission should officially get back of the A. P. Morgan & Co. grain case.

That is said to be one of the grounds of difference which have arisen between the chairman and Governor Smith.

Chairman Furnishes Statement.

Chairman McLendon furnished to the press the following statement regarding the port rate matter:

On February 20 Governor Smith addressed to the commission a communication in which he requested that some four or five subjects therein mentioned should be investigated by the commission. In this communication he called attention to an article written by the chairman in 1906.

Immediately on receipt of this communication a copy of it was furnished to each member of the commission, and at the same time each member was furnished with a copy of the article written by the chairman and referred to by the governor. When the commission met February 25, on motion of Judge Hillyer, the governor's communication was referred to a committee, consisting of Commissioners Hill and Callaway. When Mr. Candler came on the commission April 1 he was furnished with a copy of the entire correspondence and was requested to take Mr. Callaway's place on that committee.

On April 19 another communication was received by the commission from the governor relating to one subject, namely, rates on cotton to the ports. This communication was furnished to the commission along with a statement showing some of the facts collected by the chairman in his effort to comply with the governor's request of February 20. The governor's letter of April 19 was, on motion of Judge Hillyer, referred to Mr. Hill and Mr. Candler.

The chairman has furnished to the commission and to the members of this committee in the form of a written statement some of the facts gathered by him. At its meeting on Friday, April 23, it was agreed by the commission that the press of the state could have access to this correspondence.

The chairman has expressed no opinion on the subject of the cotton rates publicly or privately, and will not do so until all the facts bearing on the subject are submitted to the commission, and when he does express an opinion it will be his own opinion.

SOUTH INJURED FOR NEW ENGLAND

So Senator Scott Says in Attacking Tariff Bill.

West Virginia Senator Alleges New England Wants Revision Downward for Her Own Benefit, but That Such Revision Is Hurtful to South.

Washington, April 27.—"Mr. President, I do not wish the senate called to order," said Senator Scott, of West Virginia, upon beginning his speech on the tariff today, when Vice President Sherman undertook to maintain quiet in the chamber. "I do not expect this argument to change a vote," added Mr. Scott, "and consequently, I am entirely indifferent whether senators retire to the lobbies or indulge in conversation, because I do not care whether they listen to my remarks or not."

"The chair does care," replied Mr. Sherman.

Mr. Scott's remarks were listened to by many senators, who gave him strict attention. Senator Scott said he advocated protection not only because he believed it was the best policy for his own state of West Virginia and for the south, but also for the entire country.

Inferior to Dingley Tariff.

He said that when congress had completed the enactment of the pending tariff bill, "we will not have nearly so good a bill, in my judgment, as the present Dingley bill. New England, for instance, profited in the past. Now she is ready for a downward revision of the tariff, and for free coal, if she can get it. But the southland sees ahead of her nothing but prosperity under a protective tariff. She has developed more rapidly in manufactures than any other portion of the country."

He insisted that raw material and cheap fuel still would be lying undeveloped if it had not been for a protective tariff, but that a countervailing duty on coal was a great injustice to the coal-mining industry. He declared his absolute and utter opposition to a countervailing duty. He said that if the rate on lumber should be reduced—48 per cent of all the lumber manufactured in the United States being produced in the south—there would be nothing left for the American lumbermen to do but to cut wages. Lower wages, also, he said, would follow the cuts of tariff rates on iron and steel products. He asserted with respect to the oil industry that less than 10 per cent of the crude oil of the country was produced by the Standard Oil Company, and declared he did not propose to let any "populistic howlings influence me in what I see to be my duty in regard to taking care of the independent oil producers in my state."

Blind Senator Attacks Tariff.

On the conclusion of Mr. Scott's remarks, Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, engaged both Senators Scott and Elkins in a colloquy concerning the wages paid American coal miners. Mr. Gore declared he had been reliably informed that in the rich Pocahontas mines of West Virginia the wages were less than in Nova Scotia and England. This statement was denied by Senator Elkins, who said the pay of miners in Vancouver, B. C., was from 20 to 30 per cent less than in this country, while in Nova Scotia he said they were about the same, or, perhaps, 10 per cent less than in the United States.

Mr. Gore, who stood at the front row of the senate seats on the democratic side of the chamber, figuratively looking over the body with his sightless eyes, delivered an impassioned denunciation of the protective tariff.

Mr. McCumber asked the senator from Oklahoma how it happened that while one-half to two-thirds of the coal miners of this country are foreigners, they were superior here, and not so in their own countries. He insisted that it was the different conditions under which they lived in this country, brought about by the protective tariff that allowed these miners to make more money and to live better than while abroad.

Mines Turned Over to Foreigners.

"Does the senator mean to intimate that the republican party has pursued a policy which has turned over the labor of our coal mines to foreigners?" inquired Mr. Gore.

Mr. McCumber replied that the gates of America have always swung inward to the people of the world.

Then, reviewing political conditions, Mr. Gore, speaking in dramatic tones, referred to various individual conditions in the United States to show that the tariff had nothing to do with the prosperity of the people. He insisted that the Wilson bill, approved August 28, 1894, could not have brought on the panic of 1893.

"Won't the senator admit that anticipation brought that panic about?" asked Mr. Scott.

"I will admit the senator's statement if the senator from West Virginia will admit that the anticipation of the republican party's victory precipitated the panic of 1907, and that the panic of 1873 was brought about by the same cause, as those panics came under republican presidents and under the operation of republican protective tariffs."

Taunting the Oklahoma senator with having been a populist in 1894, Mr. Scott asked whether he had copies of his speeches of that year.

"Yes, I have them," replied Mr. Gore, "and the question reminds me that I have grown wiser and that the senator from West Virginia is not too old to gain wisdom."

Odd Fellows Celebrate.

Montgomery, Ala., April 27.—(Special.) Manley A. Raney, head of the militant army of the Odd Fellows, spent Monday and Monday night in the city, paying an official visit to the local lodges. At night he spoke to an open meeting of several hundred in Pythian hall. Judge W. M. Screws presided, and made a neat speech in presenting the guest of honor. Members of the order from many cities were on hand.

Hains Jury Complete.

Flushing, N. Y., April 27.—The jury for the trial of Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., for the killing of W. E. Annis, was completed at the afternoon session of the court here today. Court then adjourned until tomorrow.

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COOPERS APPEAL TO HIGH COURT

Motion for New Trial Overruled by Judge.

Colonel Duncan B. Cooper and Robin Cooper Still Out on Bail—Father Cool and Collected, but Son Shows Effect of Strain.

Nashville, Tenn., April 27.—Judge William M. Hart overruled the motion for a new trial of the case of Colonel Duncan B. and Robin J. Cooper, recently convicted of the murder of former United States Senator E. W. Carmack. The defense at once gave notice of an appeal to the supreme court, and waived the formal sentence of twenty years in the penitentiary.

The defendants were in court early. Mrs. Lucius Burch coming in with her father and brother. The colonel was attired in a new black suit, and appeared in excellent spirits. Robin was pale and ill at ease.

Judge Hart's opinion was brief and clear. He said:

"The motion in the case of the state against D. B. and Robin Cooper is now before the court. After giving due and careful consideration to all the reasons assigned in the motion, the court is of the opinion that there is no ground for setting aside the verdict of the jury, and therefore the motion is overruled.

"We will pray for an appeal to the supreme court," said Judge Anderson and waive formal sentence."

"It is granted," retorted Judge Hart.

"We ask for time to perfect our appeal, and that the bond be fixed," said Anderson.

"The bond will remain the same," announced the court. "About the time to prepare a bill of exceptions, I suggest that as the term ends next Saturday you have the bill ready then."

The defense objected, and demanded thirty days. After a wrangle the court said:

"Let us put it over until next Saturday and take it up then. Adjourn court, Mr. Sheriff, until next Saturday."

The same bondsmen again qualified. After court adjourned Judge Hart commented to some friends upon the fact that the killing of Ike Morse this morning by a young woman who claims he had abandoned her, was the tenth murder in this county since the Cooper trial began on January 20, and makes twenty-nine murder cases now on the county docket."

"The Star Spangled Banner."

Washington, April 27.—The original manuscript of the "Star Spangled Banner" has been located by the Francis Scott Key Memorial Association, which is endeavoring to secure possesson of it. While it is improbable that the owner of this precious relic, a Baltimore woman, will consent to permanently part with it, the association hopes to be able to borrow the manuscript to place on exhibition at the old Key mansion in Georgetown, D. C.

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EXPERIMENTAL TAX ON TEA AND COFFEE

The Senate Finance Committee Names Tax Solely for Trading Purposes.

Washington, April 27.—At numerous conferences today, republican senators considered the substitute for the maximum and minimum features of the Payne bill, which will be submitted to the senate from the committee on finance. The provision has been completed except for the list of articles on the free list that are to be taxed specifically when imported from countries that fail to give to the United States the advantage of their best rates.

Experimentally, the committee has fixed a tax of 10 cents a pound on coffee and 10 cents a pound on tea in order to illustrate the operation of such a provision. These taxes could not go into effect except as applied to countries that discriminate against the United States, and then only upon proclamation by the president. The specific taxes are to be named solely for trading purposes in campaigns to extend the markets for American products in all parts of the world. In addition to coffee and tea a number of other articles will be placed in this trading list so that its influence would be felt by every country.

It was practically decided today that the amendment providing for the application of the rates named in the bill would not be presented to the senate until after all of the other administrative features have been worked out.

Code in Question.

Montgomery, Ala., April 27.—(Special.) The municipal code is in bad account, according to what is heard about the city, though it is said that the objections to it are not vital. However, many take the position that certain amendments are not yet out in the record, as a result of which the bill is in danger. If it should be annulled the result will be far-reaching in the way of confusing things generally and may be the cause of breaking up many of the city laws now in force.

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CRACKERS ON SLAGPILE TODAY

Edited by Dick Jemison

CRACKERS OFF FOR BIRMINGHAM

Johns Will Probably Twirl Opener--Manuel for Barons.

The game yesterday between the Climbers and Crackers was postponed on account of rain. The game will be played off at Ponce de Leon on July 1, which is the first game that the Climbers have on the local ball lot again.

The Crackers left at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon over the Seaboard Air Line for Birmingham, Ala., where they will play the Barons a four-game series.

Manager Billy Smith took the entire team with him, with the exception of Sid Smith, the demon catcher, who is laid up with a bum thumb, but Manager Smith announced yesterday that the thumb would probably mend by the end of next week, when the Crackers start on their first westward trip.

Harold Johns will probably twirl the first Birmingham game with McMurray behind the bat, the remainder of the line-up being the same. Moxie Manuel, the twirler secured from the Chicago White Sox, will probably work the opening game for the Barons.

TURTLES WIN FIRST; SECOND GAME A TIE

Mobile, Ala., April 27.—Mobile and Memphis played a double-header this afternoon, Memphis winning the first game and the second being called at the conclusion of Memphis' half of the fifth inning, because of rain. Nine bases on balls, coupled with three fielding errors, and followed by a double by Coulson and a triple by Baerwald, tell the story of Mobile's defeat. Reckless base running lost Mobile the second game. Score:

FIRST GAME.

MOBILE—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Wheat, rf.	3	1	1	2	0	0
Sentell, ss.	5	0	0	7	2	1
Rhoton, 2b.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Thornton, lf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Sabrie, 1b.	3	1	0	8	1	0
Hopkins, cf.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Benson, 3b.	4	0	1	0	0	2
Hardy, c.	2	0	1	7	3	0
Hixon, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Miller, p.	1	0	0	0	4	0
*Watson.	0	0	0	0	0	0
**Petit.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	32	3	6	27	14	3

*Watson batted for Miller in ninth.
**Petit batted for Wheat in the ninth.

MEMPHIS—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Wagner, cf.	4	2	1	0	0	0
Baerwald, 2b.	4	1	2	4	2	0
Stinson, rf.	2	2	0	3	0	0
Ludwig, c.	2	0	1	5	0	0
Coulson, lf.	5	0	2	1	0	0
Babb, 3b.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Carey, 1b.	3	0	0	14	0	0
Lindsey, ss.	1	0	1	0	4	1
Emerson, p.	3	0	0	0	5	0
Shields, p.	0	0	0	0	3	1
Totals.	28	5	7	27	13	1

Score by innings:	R.
Memphis.	000 131 000—5
Mobile.	100 000 020—3

Summary: Stolen bases, Rhoton, Wagner, Coulson 2, Babb; sacrifice hits, Baerwald, Ludwig 2, Emerson; two-base hits, Coulson, Wheat; three-base hit, Baerwald; home run, Hopkins; innings pitched, Hixon 4 1-3, Miller 4 2-3; Emerson 8, Shields 1; hits apportioned, off Hixon 3, off Miller 4, off Emerson 6; bases on balls, off Hixon 6, off Miller 3, off Emerson 5; struck out by Hixon 4, by Emerson 6, by Miller 2, by Shields 1. Double plays, Wheat to Sentell; Baerwald unassisted; Baerwald to Carey. Hit by pitcher, Sabrie by Emerson. Left on bases, Memphis 9, Mobile 7. Time, 2:20. Umpire, Carpenter.

SECOND GAME.

MOBILE.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Wheat, rf.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Sentell, ss.	1	0	0	3	2	0
Rhoton 2b.	2	0	1	1	1	0
Thornton, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sabrie, 1b.	2	0	1	7	0	0
Hopkins, lb.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Benson, 3b.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Petit, c.	1	0	0	2	1	0
Bittroff, p.	0	0	0	1	2	0
Totals.	11	0	4	15	7	0

MEMPHIS.	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Wagner, cf.	2	0	1	0	0	0
Baerwald, 2b.	2	0	0	0	1	0
Stinson, rf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ludwig, c.	2	0	1	1	2	0
Coulson, lf.	2	0	1	2	1	0
Babb, 3b.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carey, 1b.	2	0	1	7	0	0
Lindsey, ss.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Shields, p.	2	0	0	0	3	0
Totals.	17	0	4	x11	7	0

xRhoton out for running out of line.

Score by innings:	
Memphis.	000 00—0
Mobile.	000 0x—0

Summary: Sacrifice hits, Sentell, Thornton, Bittroff. Bases on balls, off Shields 3. Struck out, by Shields 1, by Bittroff 1. Double plays, Coulson to Baerwald to Carey; Rhoton to Sabrie. Left on bases, Memphis 3, Mobile 5. Time, 1:15. Umpire, Carpenter.

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MERCER SECONDS WIN FROM LOCUST GROVE

Locust Grove, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—In one of the most interesting and best played games seen here this season, Mercer's second team defeated Locust Grove this afternoon 2 to 1. The game was called at the end of the sixth inning on account of rain. Turner, for Locust Grove, and Mosley, for Mercer, pitched gilt-edge ball. Wills, on short for Mercer, made a star catch of Walker's drive in the fifth.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Locust Grove	1	4	2
Mercer	2	2	2

Batteries: Turner and Bowden; Mosley and Roach. Umpires, Mallory and Combs.

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Two Tennis Entries.

L. T. and J. J. Lowery, of the Mississippi college, of Clinton, have sent in their entries for the intercollegiate tennis tournament, which takes place here next month. The entry lists close on May 1.

Died of Baseball Injuries.

La Moni, Iowa, April 27.—Leonard de Long, a high school student, injured while playing baseball here Saturday, died today. De Long collided with a base runner, bursting a blood vessel.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Nashville	10	7	3	.700
New Orleans	12	8	4	.667
Atlanta	10	6	4	.600
Little Rock	12	7	5	.583
Mobile	11	6	5	.545
Montgomery	10	4	6	.400
Birmingham	9	3	6	.333
Memphis	11	2	9	.182

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Chattanooga	10	8	2	.800
Jacksonville	10	8	2	.800
Columbus	10	6	4	.600
Charleston	9	5	4	.556
Macon	10	4	6	.400
Columbia	10	4	6	.400
Savannah	9	2	7	.222
Augusta	10	2	8	.200

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Boston	9	6	3	.667
Philadelphia	8	5	3	.625
Chicago	10	6	4	.600
Cincinnati	12	7	5	.583
Pittsburg	11	6	5	.546
New York	8	3	5	.375
Brooklyn	8	3	5	.375
St. Louis	13	4	9	.308

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLUBS—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Detroit	11	8	3	.727
New York	10	7	3	.700
Chicago	11	7	4	.636
Philadelphia	9	5	4	.556
Boston	10	5	5	.500
St. Louis	11	4	7	.364
Cleveland	11	4	7	.364
Washington	9	2	7	.222

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.
Atlanta in Birmingham.
Nashville in Montgomery.
New Orleans in Memphis.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.
Charleston in Columbus.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
St. Louis in Chicago.
Detroit in Cleveland.
Philadelphia in Washington.
New York in Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Brooklyn in Philadelphia.
Boston in New York.
Pittsburg in St. Louis.
Chicago in Cincinnati.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.
Montgomery-Atlanta rain.
Birmingham-Nashville rain.
Memphis 5, Mobile 3.
Mobile 0, Memphis 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
New York 4, Boston 3.
Chicago 1, St. Louis 0.
Cleveland-Detroit rain.
Washington-Philadelphia rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Boston 10, New York 0.
Philadelphia 3, Brooklyn 2.
St. Louis 6, Pittsburg 1.
Cincinnati-Chicago rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Kansas City 6, St. Paul 2.
Indianapolis 8, Columbus 2.
Milwaukee 2, Minneapolis 1.
Louisville 5, Toledo 4.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.
Augusta-Jacksonville rain.
Chattanooga-Macon rain.
Columbia-Savannah rain.
Charleston-Columbus rain.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.
Spartanburg-Anderson rain.
Winston-Salem 6, Charlotte 3.
Greenville-Greensboro rain.

TEXAS LEAGUE.
Oklahoma City 3, Dallas 2.
Shreveport-Fort Worth rain.
San Antonio-Houston rain.
Galveston 5, Waco 1; 10 innings.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.
Roanoke 2, Norfolk 1.
Danville 1, Lynchburg 0.
Richmond 0, Portsmouth 0.

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GREAT MARATHON RACE FOR PURSE OF $10,000

Championship of World Will Also Be Decided on May 8.

New York, April 27.—A $10,000 grand international Marathon race is announced for May 8 at the Polo grounds in this city. The promoters say it is for the championship of the world. St. Yves, the Frenchman, who won the Derby; Simpson, the Indian; Dorando, Maloney and Orphee and Cibot, the winners of the recent six-day go-as-you please race in Madison Square Garden, have already entered. The management expects that Pat White, of Ireland; Carvajal, of Cuba; Fred Appleby, the Englishman who twice defeated Shrubb, will also enter. It is announced that the $10,000 will be divided—$5,000 to the winner, then, in order of the finish, $2,000, $1,200, $800, $500, $300 and $200.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

White Sox 1, Browns 0.

Chicago, April 27.—Sullivan's single in the ninth inning after two men were out scored Cravath with the only run of today's game, Chicago defeating St. Louis. Waddell and White were in great form, the former allowing only four hits and the latter three.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Chicago.	000 000 001—1	4	0
St. Louis.	000 000 000—0	3	2

Batteries—White and Sullivan; Waddell and Criger. Time, 1:35. Umpires, Perrine and Sheridan.

Yankees 4, Red Sox 3.

Boston, Mass., April 27.—New York won a hard fought game from Boston today. Morgan was driven from the box in the fourth inning by the visitors. Boston rallied in the ninth, but a change of pitchers stopped the rungetting.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
New York.	000 400 000—4	5	3
Boston.	000 000 102—3	7	2

Batteries—Wilson, Quinn and Kleinow; Morgan, Cicotte and Arrelianes and Carrigan. Time, 2:10. Umpires, Egan and Connolly.

Rockmart 2, Dallas 0.

Rockmart, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—Rockmart defeated Dallas in an interesting game of ball here yesterday by the score of 2 to 0. This was the first game of the season and quite a large crowd was out to see the home boys win.

Perryman, was in the box for the locals and he had the Dallas batters at his mercy at all stages of the game. He didn't walk a man and struck out 13 Dallas sluggers.

Bullock, for Dallas, pitched a nice game. He struck out 5 men and walked 2.

Score by innings:

	R.	H.	E.
Rockmart.	000 100 10x—2	9	1
Dallas.	000 000 000—0	1	4

Batteries: Perryman and McRae; Bullock and Cole.

Mercer v. Trinity.

Durham, N. C., April 27.—(Special.)—Mercer and Trinity will cross bats here on Wednesday and Thursday of this week, and it is expected that there will be one of the hardest fought series ever played on a local diamond.

BENZ CAR IS FIRST IN LIGHTNING TIME

Second Day of Motor Carnival in New York.

Benz Captures Big Event at the Rate of 101.4 Miles an Hour. E. M. F., Buick, Knox, Chalmers-Detroit, Stearns and National Also Winners.

New York, April 27.—The thousand persons shivered for five hours this afternoon in Jamaica, L. I., while automobile trials were run off under the auspices of the New York Trade Association. The affair was the second-day event in the annual metropolitan motor carnival, which will last throughout the week. All were straight-away contests.

In the 1-mile free-for-all race, the big event of the day, the Benz 120-horse power gasoline car, driven by David Bruce Brown, won in 35 2-5 seconds, which was at the rate of 101.4 miles an hour.

In the 2-mile free-for-all race, the same Benz car, with Brown driving, won in 1-16 2-5.

The winner of the 2-mile events for gasoline vehicles were as follows:

For cars priced under $1,250, E. M. F. Time, 2:22 3-5.

For cars costing $1,250 to $2,000 Buick. Time, 1:52.

For cars costing $2,000 to $3,000, Knox. Time, 1:56.

For cars costing $3,000 to $4,000, American. Time, 2:00 1-5.

For four-cylinder cars, costing more than $4,000, Stearns. Time, 1:51 3-5.

For six-cylinder cars, costing more than $4,000, National. Time, 1:42.

In the 2-mile event for stock chassis, costing more than $3,000, the Knox won in 1:34 2-5.

The winners of the one-mile gasoline events were as follows:

For cars costing under $1,250, E. M. F. Time, 1:09 4-5.

For cars costing from $1,250 to $2,000, Buick. Time, 55 seconds. For cars costing $2,000 to $3,000. Tie at 56 2-5 seconds, between Knox and Chalmers-Detroit; tie to be decided later. For cars costing $3,000 to $4,000, American. Time, 1 minute. For four-cylinder cars costing more than $4,000, Stearns. Time, :53 1-5. For six-cylinder cars costing more than $4,000, National. Time 48 3-5. For stock chassis costing more than $3,000, Knox. Time, 41 3-5.

NASHVILLE FANS ARE UP IN ARMS

Nashville, Tenn., April 27.—(Special.) Baseball fans of this city are up in arms against the local club. The trouble came about as a result of F. E. Kuhn, president of the local team, stopping several parties from detailing the games while the Volunteers are on the road.

Mr. Kuhn gave as his reason for doing this that Manager Bernhard and himself wanted this privilege and that the Western Union contract so read that the detail was to be furnished no one but Kuhn and Bernhard. Local enthusiasts believe Kuhn is trying to monopolize baseball in Nashville.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Phillies 3, Dodgers 2.

Philadelphia, April 27.—Philadelphia again defeated Brooklyn today by bunching hits on Bell, score 3 to 2. Dooin and Hummel were ordered out of the game for kicking.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia.	001 200 00x—3	6	2
Brooklyn.	000 010 100—2	9	5

Batteries—Covelesklie, Dooin and Jacklitsch; Bell and Bergen. Time, 1:42. Umpires, Johnstone and Cusack.

Pirates 7, Cardinals 6.

St. Louis, April 27.—By using two pitchers, Pittsburg won from St. Louis today. Willis was knocked out of the box in the fourth. The game was won in the eighth inning, when Phelps muffed Byrnes' toss to the plate, letting Clarke and Wagner score.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg.	010 400 020—7	9	3
St. Louis.	210 300 000—6	10	1

Batteries—Lush and Phelps; Willis, Adams and Gibson. Time, 2:06. Umpires, O'Day and Emslie.

Doves 10, Giants 0.

New York, April 27.—The New York Nationals were today defeated by Boston in a game played in arctic weather. New York was unable to find Ferguson, except for two short hits in the sixth. The Bostons hit Ames, Durham and Waller at will. Outfielder Devore, of the New York club, was today operated upon for appendicitis.

Score:	R.	H.	E.
Boston.	000 301 222—10	15	0
New York.	000 000 000—0	2	7

Batteries—Ferguson and Smith; Ames, Durham, Waller and Schlei. Time, 2 hours. Umpires, Rigler and Truby.

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Attend the Fifth Annual Spring Auction of Ansley Park lots at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Ansley Park is now practically completed and future advances are sure to be greater and more rapid even than in the past.

CARTERSVILLE WINS FROM IROQUOIS CLUB

Cartersville, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—In one of the best and most exciting games ever witnessed in Cartersville, the Cartersville team, which is composed of the best talent of the city of Cartersville and adjacent towns, defeated the strong team of the Iroquois club, of Atlanta, by a score of 3 to 2 after a hard fought battle of ten innings.

Iroquois.	010 001 000 0—2	5	3
Cartersville.	002 000 000 1—3	6	3

Summary: Two-base hits, Everett; stolen bases, Gibbs; struck out, by Cunyus 14, by McClain 10; bases on balls, Cunyus 1, McClain 2; hit batsmen, Hull, Lockhart; double plays, Keen to Gibbs. Attendance 300.

The opportunity of a lifetime is offered in the Ansley Park auction sale of lots this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock sharp. There can never be any more lots like these.

GEORGIA WINS FROM SEWANEE

Brannen Pitches Again and Trims Tigers' Claws 3 to 1.

Sewanee, Tenn., April 27.—(Special.)—Georgia won the second game of the series today on a muddy field. Brannan pitched a beautiful game of ball for Georgia, allowing only four scattered hits.

Myers was hit four times in the first inning, yielding three runs, but was invincible after the first. Sewanee scored one in the second. Faulkenberry hit to center, stole second and advanced to third by Noise and scored on Gillem's hit. Brannan was the star of the game. He is 16 years old, and this is his first season. The third game will be played in Athens on May 13.

Score by innings:	R.	H.	E.
Georgia.	300 000 000—3	8	0
Sewanee.	010 000 000—1	4	1

Batteries: Brannan and Lucas; Myers and Faulkenberry. Struck out, by Brannen 7, by Myers 4; base on balls, off Brannen 1, off Myers 1; hit by pitched ball, Lyne, Derrick.

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TO STOP GAMBLING ON RACES IN FLORIDA

Tallahassee, Fla., April 27.—A bill, which, if adopted, will stop the race track gambling in Florida, was introduced at this afternoon's session of the house by Representative Grace, of Citrus. This bill is similar to a senate bill introduced by Senator Sloan, which repeals that act of the general statutes allowing the selling of pools in Florida. Representative Newton, of Orange, introduced a bill to repeal all legal holidays except Sundays, Fourth of July and Christmas. The house will hold another session at 8 o'clock tonight.

"Rabbit" Slagle to the Minors.

St. Louis, April 27.—Fred Clarke, manager of the Pittsburg baseball team, announced today that he had waived claim to James Slagle, former centerfielder of the champion Chicago National League team. Slagle's contract had been sold by Chicago to Boston and that club, in turn, had tried to send him to Baltimore, of the Eastern League, when Pittsburg interposed a protest. Its withdrawal will result in the retirement of the "Rabbit" to the minor league team.

If you are fastidious about your dress try Carroll, the Tailor, 172 Peachtree, opposite Aragon.

Roger Bresnahan Injured.

St. Louis, April 27.—Roger Bresnahan, manager and catcher of the St. Louis National League team, will be unable to play baseball for several days, because of an injury suffered in the tenth inning of yesterday's game with Pittsburg. Bresnahan was hurt internally when he slid to the plate, colliding with Gibson, of Pittsburg. Bresnahan's physician told him that he must remain on the bench the rest of the week.

Georgia v. Alabama.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., April 27.—(Special.)—The University of Georgia baseball nine will arrive here Thursday morning for a three-game series with the University of Alabama baseball team, and the series promises to be hard fought, as the two teams are very evenly matched.

Frank Releases Two.

New Orleans, April 27.—Manager Frank, of the New Orleans Southern League team, today announced the release of Edward Cefalu, the young Cincinnati pitcher, and Ed Reagan, utility man, to the East Liverpool, Ohio, club. Both men will probably leave New Orleans tonight for their new playing home.

A dead fish can float down the stream, but it takes a live one to swim up. Our spring suits are LIVE ones. Carroll, the Tailor.

Auburn v. Tech.

Auburn, Ala., April 27.—(Special.)—The Auburn baseball team is awaiting the arrival of the Tech Yellow Jackets on Thursday morning for a three-game series, a double-header to be played on Friday, and the local boys are confident that they will be able to win the series from the Blacksmiths. They, however, expect a hard fight before doing so.

TO MEMPHIS VIA SEABOARD--Leave Atlanta 4:15 p. m., arrive Memphis 7:30 a. m. Through sleeper-dining car service a-la-carte. Effective May 2.

Fans Threaten Umpire.

Roanoke, Va., April 27.—Charging that Virginia League Umpire Pender had robbed Roanoke of the game with Norfolk today the spectators swarmed upon the field. A squad of police rescued Pender before any harm had been done him and took him to jail, where he is being protected. A large crowd of excited persons followed the officers and umpire to the lockup.

Wright Billiard Champion.

New York, April 27.—H. A. Wright, of San Francisco, tonight won the national amateur billiard championship at the Liederkranz Club, defeating C. F. Conklin, of Chicago, by a score of 400 to 317.

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Murphy Knocks Out Sullivan.

Baltimore, April 27.—Just midway in the third of what was to have been a fifteen-round bout before the Eureka Athletic Club tonight, "Harlem Tommy" Murphy, of New York, knocked out "Kid" Sullivan, of Washington, by a short arm jolt to the jaw, delivered in a clinch.

BONNIE KELSO WON STAFFORD PURSE

Drive Between Winner and Hurlock in Stretch.

Prince Hampton Was the Good Thing in the Steeplechase. Books Had the Better of a Rather Perplexing Card.

Baltimore, April 27.—A cold, blustering wind cut down the attendance at Pimlico today. The track has at last rounded into shape and all the regulars were out, but the books had the best of a rather perplexing card. The feature event, the Stafford purse, went to Bonnie Kelso, who won out in a stretch drive over Hurlock. J. W. Colt's Prince Hampton was the good thing in the steeplechase. Rain is predicted for tonight. Summaries:

FIRST RACE—Four and a half furlongs: The Monk, 107 (McIntrye), 5 to 1, 3 to 1 and even, won; Our Hannah, 102 (Upton), 7 to 2, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Inspection, 102 (Goldstein), 15 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, third. Time, :55 3-5. Dress Parade II, Rose Hampton, Responseful, Dull Care, Frank Purcell, The Prophet, The King, Fearnaught II, Kyrat ran.

SECOND RACE—One mile, selling: Belle of Jessamine, 109 (Goldstein), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, won; Lally, 109 (Wilson), 7 to 1, 3 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Wilton Lackaye, 114 (McIntyre), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Sea Wolf, Olive Ely, Font, Ardri, Havre also ran.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs, selling: Consistent, 101 (Goldstein), 4 to 1, 2 to 1, even, won; Botanist, 105 (Wilson), 7 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, second; Neoskaleta, 105 (McIntyre), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:14. Laura A., Critic, Dolly Spanker, Greendale, Ornamentation, Star Emblem, Don Hamilton, Racine I, John Garner ran.

FOURTH RACE—Elkridge steeplechase, about 2 miles: Princeton Hampton, 146 (Lynch), 13 to 5, even and 1 to 2, won; Young Blitzen, 151 (Sullivan), 20 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Telifare, 158 (Savage), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2, third. Time, 4:34. Recruit, Tom Waddell, Tourney ran.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs: Effendi, 100 (Doyle), 6 to 5, 3 to 5 and 1 to 3, won; Croydon, 107 (Harty), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, second; Aunt Jule, 95 (Crowley), 15 to 1, 6 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Babble, Melodeon, Claque, Sally Cohen, Nancy Lynch, Wild Willow, Endymion, Belle of Pheonix, Transition, Ruthuy ran.

SIXTH RACE—The Stafford purse, mile and 40 yards: Bonnie Kelso, 94 (Upton), 7 to 2, 6 to 5 and 3 to 5, won; Hurlock, 98 (Leach), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5, second; Gus Helm, 92 (Brady), 8 to 1, 3 to 2 and even, third. Time, 1:45. George G. Hall, King Sol, Dixie Gold, Sir Gallahan ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs, selling: Salvolatile, 106 (Bergen), 10 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, won; Halifax, 105 (Hinchcliffe), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 3 to 5, second; Jennie Wells, 100 (Leach), 30 to 1, 20 to 1, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Lady Karma, Racinette, Wea, Raquel, Rye, Smoker, Simple Honors, Andalusia, Escutcheon, Delestrome, Lad of Langdon, John Marrs ran.

Pimlico Entries for Today.

First Race—Maiden 2-year-olds, selling, 4 furlongs: Sparkling Wave; Semicolon, Missouri Belle, 99; Etching, 102; Busy, 108; Bedminster, Compton, 107; Fauntleroy, Zacatecas, 105; Tom Melton, Race Brook, 104.

Second Race—Three-year-olds and up, selling, mile: Kempton, Campaigner, Lad of Langdon, The Wrestler, Harting, 102; Giles, Gild, St. Joseph, 107; Dander, Quantico, Jeanette M., Court Lady, 95; Soil, 93; Eustacion, 97; Indian Hunter, 100; Whiptop, 105.

Third Race—Pimlico spring handicap, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: Live Wire, 113; Nimbus, 118; Demund, 130; Royal Onyx, 103; Arondack, 102; Superstition, 106; St. Jeanne, 98; Tasley, Takahira, 95.

Fourth Race—Patapsco steeplechase, 4-year-olds and up, about 2 miles: Thistledale, Kara, Sanctus, Grandpa, 153; Sir Wooster, 148.

Fifth Race—Three-year-olds, non-winners of $1,000 or more than three races at any time, mile: Dander, Pocotaligo, Pocomoke, O. U. Kid, Indian Hunter, 110; Xebec, May River, 107; Grania, Hilltop, 105.

Sixth Race—Three-year-olds and up, mile and 60 yards: Juggler, 125; Question Mark, 121; Ross Fenton, Statesman, 105; Ruxton, 97; Pins and Needles, 122.

Seventh Race—Two-year-olds, selling, 6 furlongs: Mystery, Miss Raffaelo, Miss O'Toole, Sweet Simplicity, Lucetta, Cotton Maid, Jessica, 104; Culpepper, 110; Miss Loris, 101; Phonoris, 99; Mon Ami, 103; Love Watches, 109.

AT LEXINGTON.

Lexington, Ky., April 27.—Slewfoot easily won the feature for 2-year-olds at 4 furlongs at the Kentucky Association track today from Zahara and Foxy Mary. Nancy, the winner of the second race, was bid up to $600 and sold to Dr. H. C. Bosler. Rain fell during the first two races. Attendance good; track heavy. Results:

FIRST RACE—Four furlongs, purse: Slewfoot, 104 (Heidel), straight $4.50, place $3.30, show $3.10, won; Foxy Mary, 99 (Franklin), place $3.95, show $3.50, second; Zahara, 99 (Martin), show $6, third. Time, :49 4-5. Ethel W. Lucindy, Lou Lanier, Samonia, Start Kinney, Bonnie Brick and Lotta Creed ran.

SECOND RACE—Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Nancy, 105 (Warren), straight $4.10, place $3.60; show $2.50, won; Maid Militant, 105 (Martin), place $3.15, show $2.60, second; Wine Merchant, 96 (Hannan), show $2.65, third. Time, 1:52 2-5. Reside, Mamie Algol, Casperline and Headley ran.

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs, selling: Lady Vie, 105 (Paul), straight $1.30, place $2.65, show $2.70, won; Lafayette, 112 (Preston), place $2.70, show $2.70, second; Lady Ethelyn, 94 (Brannon), show $9.45, third. Time, 1:30 2-5. Usury, Ben Double, Irrigator and Kennewick ran.

FOURTH RACE—Four furlongs: Uncle Tom, 110 (Steele), straight $14.90, place $7.45, show $4.30, won; Semonette, 107 (G. Warren), place $13.50, show $7.70, second; Reliuf, 110 (A. Walsh), show $5.25, third. Time, :52. Ramon Corona, Cogen, St. Dustan and Frosty Lancaster ran.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs, purse: Mary Orr, 107 (W. Franklin), straight $9.60, place $5, show $4.80, won; Miss Felix, 104 (Huffnagel), place $10.40, show $9.25, second; Jim Kelly, 106 (W. Ott), show $15.60, third. Time, 1:18 1-5. Mae Hamilton, Sempro, Gus Gauniot, Zarape, Merry Field, Landlord and Stowaway also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Malediction, 107 (W. Obert), straight $7.80, place $3.75, show $3.20, won; Ed Kane, 98 (V. Lovell), place $3.95, show $3.10, second; Grenade, 107 (F. Burton), show $5.55, third. Time, 1:51 4-5. St. Valentine, Conville, Gilvidere also ran.

Lexington Entries for Today.

First Race—Four and a half furlongs, selling: Jackstraw, 95; Grany Dismal, Brunhilde, Inferno Queen, 100; Kiddy Lee, J. W. Carter, 103; Selector, 104; Simp, 106; Pinkard, 108.

Second Race—Seven furlongs, purse: Crystal Maid, Floreal, Agnes McAliffe, 93; Odalie, Dona H., 104; Jane Randolph, Zienap, Helen Virginia, Daisy Dame, Cygnet, 107.

Third Race—Six furlongs, selling: Sister Evelyn, 93; Arionette, Meadow Grass, 97; Light Blue, 99; Select, E. T. Shipp, 101; Aspirin, 103; Danzette, 104; Silverado, 106; Usury, Refined, 107; Topsy Robinson, 111.

Fourth Race—Four and a half furlongs, purse: Margaret Brennan, Daisy Boone, My Gal, Front Row, Mabel Dame, Bonnie Bee, Claudia, Ora Dale, Bougainvillaea, 103; Turf Queen, 113.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs, purse: Advancing, 105; Second Hand, Queen's Message, Buena Vista, Lary Orimar, 106; Frank Stag, 107; Hammetrical, Mentor, Edwin L., Sir Catesby, Jupiter Joe, 110.

Sixth Race—Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Broadside, 91; Mad Rose, 103; Prytania, Grenade, 110; Arrowswift, 113.

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DESPERATE FIGHT OVER 90 CENTS

Paul McMichael Seriously Injured by Taxicab Chauffeur.

As the result of a heated dispute over 90 cents Saturday afternoon in the office of the taxicab company, Paul McMichael, manager and one of the owners, who fought with R. A. Benedict, a former chauffeur, lies seriously injured at his residence, 526 Peachtree street. McMichael sustained a broken nose and two fractured ribs in a fight with Benedict, and his physicians fear that he may die.

Benedict is being detained without bond at the Tower on a warrant sworn out in Judge Landrum's court. He will be held pending the outcome of the condition of McMichael.

The affray resulted from a visit of Benedict to the taxicab office to collect a salary claim of 90 cents, after he had been discharged, but before he had turned in his key. He says McMichael would not pay the 90 cents, and that he then refused to surrender the key. A struggle ensued, in which Benedict is alleged to have struck the manager with a bone cane. Benedict says he was assaulted first.

PEACE IN MINE REGIONS.

Operators and Employees Will Reach an Agreement.

Scranton, Pa., April 27.—The tri-district convention of the Anthracite Mine Workers, which will tomorrow ratify the proposed agreement that is expected to be signed by the representatives of the men and the mine operators in Philadelphia on Thursday, met this afternoon, organized and adjourned until tomorrow morning, when the report of the committee of seven will lay the agreement before the delegates.

The leaders of the union fully expect the agreement to be signed by both sides on Thursday, thus insuring industrial peace in the hard coal fields of Pennsylvania for another period of three years.

So far as can be learned the operators fully understand the terms of the proposed agreement, and no further opposition is looked for from them.

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HART'S OPINION AS TO CANDLER

He Declares Him Eligible as Railroad Commissioner.

At the request of Governor Smith, Attorney General John C. Hart has prepared an opinion relative to the eligibility of Hon. C. M. Candler, of DeKalb, for appointment on the railroad commission. Mr. Candler went into office on April 1, under appointment by Governor Smith.

Judge Hart states that under the terms of the constitution there is no question as to Mr. Candler's eligibility for the appointment.

The attorney general's opinion, as furnished the governor, is as follows:

Governor Hoke Smith, State Capitol.—Dear Sir: Replying to your request for my official opinion relative to the eligibility of Hon. C. Murphy Candler to the office of railroad commissioner of this state, I beg to advise:

Mr. Candler was elected representative from DeKalb county in October, 1906. He was again elected in October, 1908. He was appointed railroad commissioner by you March, 1909. He had not qualified as representative-elect at the time of his appointment as railroad commissioner.

The provisions of the constitution bearing on the subject are only two. Article 5, section 4, paragraph 1, of the constitution. (Code section 5760) provides: "The members of the general assembly shall be elected for two years and shall serve until their successors are elected." Members of the general assembly are elected in Georgia on the first Wednesday in October. Mr. Candler's first term of office therefore ended in October, 1908. His present term of office began with the election in October, 1908.

I now quote so much of article 3, section 4, paragraph 7, of the constitution as is material to this discussion: "Nor shall any senator or representative after his qualification as such be elected by the general assembly or appointed by the governor either with or without the advice and consent of the senate to any office or appointment having any emolument annexed thereto during the time for which he shall have been elected." The inhibitation against appointment or election to office it will be noted is restricted and limited to the time "after his qualification as such." Had he qualified he would have been ineligible, but not having qualified the provision has no application.

The evil which the constitution had in mind in inhibiting an appointment by the governor or election by the general assembly of members of the general assembly to office, was to prevent members from creating offices hoping to be elected or appointed thereto, hence he was made ineligible "after his qualification." Qualification means to take the oath of office. When he does this the constitution declares that he shall not be appointed by the governor nor elected by the general assembly to any office during the time for which he is elected, but there is no inhibition in the constitution to his appointment prior to his qualification. On the contrary, there is the express provision limiting his ineligibility "after his qualification as such."

There is no doubt as to his eligibility to the office of railroad commissioner of this state. Yours very truly,

JOHN C. HART, Attorney General.

MONUMENT UNVEILED BY STATESBORO U. D. C.

Outdoor Exercises Marred by Rain, but Large Crowd Heard Addresses.

Statesboro, Ga., April 27.—(Special.) One of the largest crowds ever seen here gathered today for the unveiling of the confederate monument, despite a continuous rain, on account of which the speaking had to be done in the courthouse. Hon. E. J. Giles was orator of the day. Miss Annie Groover unveiled the monument, and J. S. Cone made the speech of acceptance of the monument on behalf of the veterans and county.

J. H. Rocker, a confederate veteran, gave a history of his experience during the war and thanked the ladies for the monument. He also urged them to see that the coming generations used the history in school that taught the south's side of the war, charging that the histories of the day did not give the south justice.

Many Mexicans Shot.

Durango, Mexico, April 27.—Official reports from the recent rioting at Velardena, following the stopping by the municipal officers of a religious parade, show that no less than twenty-five men were executed after summary trial by court-martial for participating in the rioting. Besides these, seven men were killed during the rioting and forty more are still in prison awaiting trial.

Near Beer Bill Killed.

Nashville, Tenn., April 27.—In the senate today the bill providing for the manufacture and sale of imitation beer, containing not over 3 per cent of alcohol, was killed on second reading.

FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK

In Its Central Portion, Which Passes the Hotel St. Regis

IS AN AUTOMOBILE BOULEVARD.

Ten years ago Fifth avenue rivalled Hyde Park in the splendid character of its equippages; today it more than vies with the Bois de Boulogne in the number, elegance and variety of its motor cars. On pleasant days more than sixty autos a minute pass the St. Regis Hotel. This means a continuous, daily automobile parade unequalled anywhere else in the world.

The St. Regis hotel, with its entrance just off the avenue on Fifty-fifth street, thus affords—to autoists touring through New York, and to those contemplating a longer stay as well—the most convenient stopping point. To this convenience must be added its other paramount features, for the St. Regis has won merited distinction among travelers as America's most comfortable and restful hotel. Great good taste, artistic feeling and appreciation, and, above all else, wide experience in catering to people of refinement have made this hotel what it is, and have gained for it a reputation without flaw or blemish. The touring autoist who makes his New York stop at the St. Regis finds there real comfort and rest under ideal conditions. Nor is he required to pay dearly for the privilege, for the hotel is really low-priced when quality of serrooms may be had for $3 and $4 a day, or the same with private bath for $5 a vice is considered. Its cuisine is unsurpassed anywhere; yet restaurant charges are no higher than at other first-class hotels. Splendid single day (or $6 for two people); while for a parlor, bedroom and private bath the rates are from $12 a day upwards.

DEMURRER OF EZZARD OVERRULED BY COURT

Defendant Attacks the Validity of Clearing House Certificates.

The legality yof clearing house certificates was again raised on yesterday, when Judge L. S. Roan, of the superior court, criminal division, overruled a demurrer in the case of T. W. Ezzard, a farmer residing near Buckhead, who was placed on trial on a charge of forging certificates on the Columbus Clearing House Association during the panic of 1907.

The demurrer, filed by Ezzard's counsel, F. A. Quillian, of Atlanta; Barry Wright, of Rome, and T. T. Miller, of Columbus, declares that a bank or association of banks has no right to issue clearing house certificates under the law, and that, therefore, a certificate cannot be made subject matter for forgery. The state, through County Attorney Luther Rosser, argued that this question was settled in the Neal bank cases. In refusing the demurrer, Judge Roan declared that he would prefer the supreme court to settle the points involved.

Ezzard was indicted jointly with C. E. Davis, a Rome attorney; W. O. Bowden, of Columbus, and R. M. Williams, of Atlanta, but is being tried separately.

Nicest Train East via SEABOARD.

Leave Atlanta 11:25 a. m.; Pullman sleeping cars, dining cars, serving all meals—service a-la-carte. Effective May 2.

STATE ENJOINED FROM CANCELLING LICENSE

Judge T. G. Jones Grants Restraining Order to Louisville and Nashville.

Montgomery, Ala., April 27.—Secretary of State Frank N. Julian has been enjoined from cancelling the state license of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, that road having transferred a suit from the state to the federal court, in violation of the state law against that act.

Judge Thomas G. Jones, of the United States court, who recently declared the act unconstitutional, granted the order.

Use the SEABOARD night train to the east. Leaves 10:40 p. m., Eastern time. Through sleeper to New York, dining car service. Effective May 2.

HORSEWHIPPING CASE SETTLED FOR $400

Ex-Teacher Was Suing 21 Men and Women.

Case of J. H. Bailey for $35,000 Damages From Citizens of Canon, Ga., Settled Out of Court.

Athens, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—The case of J. H. Bailey against twenty-one men and women of Canon, Ga., for $35,000 damages on account of being horsewhipped by several ladies of that place last year, was settled this afternoon for $400, that amount to include settlement of fines of $25 against each defendant in the town of Canon.

Professor J. H. Bailey alleged that he was horse-whipped by these ladies on February 7, 1908, and driven from the town.

In the answer of the defendants, two of them admitted striking him with buggy whips, and the others deny striking him. All deny driving him from the town. In this answer the ladies set forth that Bailey had stated that there was not a virtuous woman in Canon and that they went to him to see whether or not he had really said so. He admitted that he had said so, except that he did not mean it to apply to one of the ladies present. The ladies had armed themselves with buggy whips, that is, a portion of them had, and they say they did so because Bailey was of a violent temper. When he said to them that he did mean to apply the statement to them, they allege that he threw his hand behind him as if to draw a pistol and that they then struck him with the whips.

Bailey was represented by Sidney C. Tapp, of Atlanta, while the defendants were represented by Judge Hamilton McWhorter, Colonel S. J. Tribble and Colonel Miles W. Lewis, of this city.

Death of Mrs. Paul Watson.

Macon, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—Mrs. Paul Watson, formerly Miss Elizabeth Dunn, of this city, died last night at the family home on Huguenin Heights. She was the wife of Paul H. Watson, and was a devoted member of Tattnall Square Presbyterian church. Her husband and two little daughters survive her. Her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Dunn, and three brothers survive her. The funeral arrangements will be made to tomorrow.

Attend the Fifth Annual Spring Auction of Ansley Park lots at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Ansley Park is now practically completed and future advances are sure to be greater and more rapid even than in the past.

POLICE COMMITTEE WITHOUT A QUORUM

New Ordinance to Further Regulate Sale of Near Beer Not Acted Upon.

The meeting of the police committee of council which was called for yesterday afternoon failed to materialize, as only two of the five members were present. The two who showed up were Chairman Spratling and Alderman Grant. Alderman Roberts is out of the city, Councilman Johnson is sick, and Alderman Pomeroy had a business engagement. The committee was to have considered an ordinance which provides that dealers in near beer place labels on bottles giving the percentage of alcohol, the name of the drink and manufacturer.

Further improvement in SEABOARD service on May 2. Don't go east or west without investigating. Phone 100.

O'HARA CLAN GATHERS FOR FUNERAL SERVICES

Rev. Father Kennedy Will Conduct Services at Immaculate Conception.

The funeral of Annie O'Hara, a 7-year-old member of the O'Hara Clan, who was burned to death in Waltersboro S. C., on January 31, will take place this morning at 10 o'clock at the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Rev. Father Kennedy will officiate.

According to the custom of the O'Hara Clan, on only one day in each year are members of the clan buried. Atlanta has been selected as the city for the funeral services. The funeral will be attended by the entire membership of th clan, necessitating the use of more than forty carriages. Interment in Westview.

DR. W. S. ELKIN HEADS CAPITAL CITY CLUB

J. W. Grant Elected Vice President and E. R. Austin Secretary and Treasurer.

Dr. W. S. Elkin was last night elected to succeed himself as president of the Capital City Club. At the same time John W. Grant was elected vice president, and E. R. Austin, secretary and treasurer. J. D. Robinson was reelected a director and Frank Callaway and R. S. Wessels were chosen as directors succeeding P. Thornton Marye and J. H. Nunnally. There was no opposition to any of the candidates nominated the night before, and hence the election passed off uneventually.

NEW TRIAL IS GIVEN TO HARRY SILVERMAN

H. Silverman, president of the Silverman Catering Company, who is being sued by the State Historical Association for an alleged breach of contract in the purchase of $28 worth of books, was granted a new trial yesterday by Judge Pendleton, of the superior court. The new trial will be held before Justice Bloodworth.

Mr. Silverman refused to pay for the books, which purported to be an encyclopediac digest of Georgia history, on the grounds that the historical features were abridged, and that a large portion of the book was taken up with advertisements. He also resisted payment on the grounds that the colonial records were not compiled, as represented, by former Governor Allen Candler.

WILKINSON HONORED BY GEORGIA MASONS

Atlanta Man Chosen as Grand Master.

Sixty-Sixth Annual Convention of the Grand Council, Georgia Masons, Meeting in Macon.

Macon, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—The sixty-sixth session of the grand council, Royal and Select Masters, Georgia Masons, was held at the Masonic Temple on Mulberry street here today. At the morning session Grand Master I. C. Posteil, of Savannah, was heard in his annual address by a full representation of the thirty-two Georgia councils.

At the afternoon session officers were chosen as follows:

John R. Wilkinson, grand master, Atlanta; J. C. Harman, deputy grand master, Tennille; J. B. Roberts, grand conductor of the work, Atlanta; W. A. Wolihin, grand treasurer and grand recorder; J. M. Rushin, grand chaplain, Boston; R. B. Ethridge, grand captain of the guards, Conyers; A. E. Sansburn, grand marshal, Newnan; W. B. Kent, grand conductor of the council, Mount Vernon; Joe P. Bowdoin, grand steward, Adairsville; R. B. Hall, grand sentinel, Macon.

The session this evening showed one new council to be admitted into the state membership. Tomorrow the grand chapter, Royal Arch Masons, will be convened for a two days' session.

To Sell Masonic Temple.

Brown House, Macon, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—The Masonic Temple building on Mulberry street will probably go into the hands of John S. Schofield, of this city, a price of $33,000 having been offered. The committee representing the Masonic bodies of the state selected some time ago has had a meeting here this week, and a deal has practically resulted. This will mean that the Georgia Masons will be looking for a new site here that will be out of the business district, and away from the constant noise of traffic.

The price of $35,000 for the old Masonic building here was the smallest sum fixed when the Masons sent the committee out to look after changes. Mr. Schofield has made the offer, and when it is accepted the committee will then be interested in the new site. Several places have been held under inspection, and it is understood that when the old building is sold the land for the new temple will be ready to change hands.

Chairman John B. Dickey, of Atlanta, will be here to confer with the other members of the committee of Masons and with Mr. Schofield on the trade. A new structure is to be secured when the old has been sold which will have nothing but the required offices and auditorium for the sessions of the Masonic bodies.

BERRY SCHOOL BOYS HOLD COMMENCEMENT

Graduating Exercises Were the Most Complete in History of the Institution.

Rome, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—The graduating exercises now in progress at the Berry school are by far the most complete in the history of the institution. The exercises came to a close today, with the address to the graduating class by Hon. Hooper Alexander. Following it were the graduating exercises by the class, these exercises being presided over by John J. Egan, of Atlanta. The two new trustees, Messrs. J. K. Orr and Henry S. Johnson, of Atlanta, made brief addresses, then came the delivery of diplomas, medals and prizes.

In the afternoon at 2 o'clock the board of trustees met.

On yesterday afternoon Judge Moses Wright delivered an address before the Alumni Association at its annual meeting. His address was marked by soundness of logic, depth of thought and purity of diction. At 4:30 o'clock p. m. the annual class-day exercises were held. Charles Daniel House delivered the salutatory. He was followed by Henry Jackson Crider, who gave an entertaining sketch of the class of 1909. Curtis Maxwell Avery, the class prophet, mappped out a glowing future for each of his classmates, and Jay G. Wood made the matter complete by prophesying for the prophet. Jesse Tucker gave a splendid class oration, and a witty class will was read by R. R. Tucker. Allen Jethro Ammons was valedictorian. Monday night occurred the debate between the Oostanaula and Ciceronian Literary Societies. The negative, championed by Oostanaula, won. The medal for the best individual debater went to Young Pentecost.

Laxative for Women Free

There is a great difference in the purposes to which a laxative should be put. Tablets and pills, salts, etc., are usually violent purgatives or cathartics, and altogether too powerful for the average person.

A woman at all times needs only a mild laxative—in fact, none other is needed by any one, weak or strong though they may be, for the object is simply to move the bowels, and if a gentle laxative will do it, what is the use of a violent one?

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup-Pepsin has earned a well-deserved vogue among women and children and old folks—people who must necessarily be careful of what they take.

It is a liquid laxative tonic and admittedly the greatest stomach, liver and bowel remedy before the American people. The price is only 50 cents or $1 a bottle, as it comes in both sizes, and all druggists sell it. Its pleasant taste and gentle action make it an ideal remedy for women in constipation, torpid liver, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn and such like digestive complaints. Its use for a short time will remove the trouble entirely so that future medication will be unnecessary. Its tonic properties build up the stomach and intestinal muscles so that they act naturally again. That this is so is the experience of many heads of families, like Mrs. Brannan, of Alvarado, Va.; Mrs. K. L. Stout, of Louisville, Ky., and numerous others; in fact, way out in Williams, Cal., as Mrs. J. E. Blackmore, of that place, writes, the whole town seems to be using it.

If the remedy is new to you and you want to make a trial of it before buying, send your name to the doctor's address as below and a free test bottle will be sent you. Then, if results are satisfactory you can buy it of your druggist.

If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 515 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

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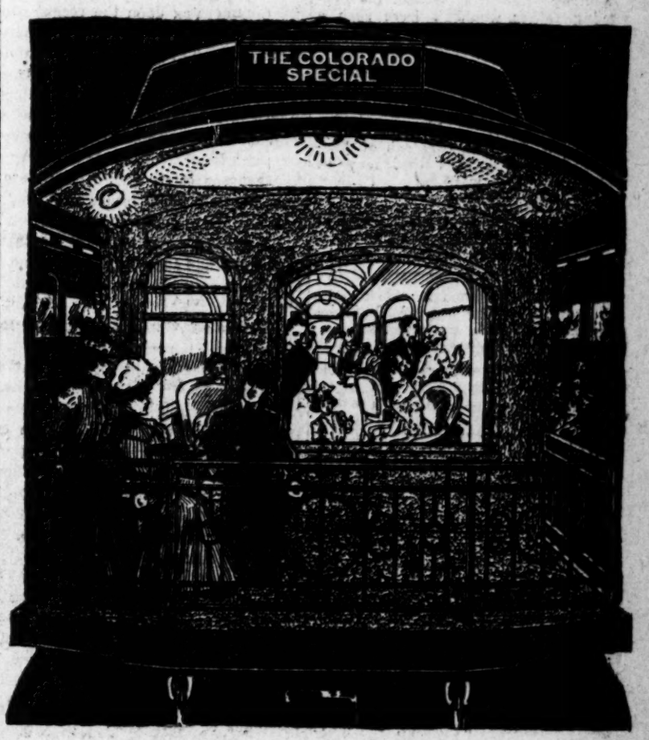

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ATLANTA, GA., April 28, 1909.

Castro needs a Columbus.

Bread may yet teach us how to rise and shine—the dollars.

The latest plunge of Patten is into the wilds of the "oblivious west."

And now Wilbur Wright is showing Rome how to rise above the ruins.

The ice trust is trying to prove that money is really the melting proposition.

President Taft's fondness for the peanut doesn't extend to that kind of politics.

Mr. Roosevelt is the only private citizen that ever fenced in all the public space.

But for Kermit's kodak the lion-slaying father wouldn't have such a soft snap of it.

If ice goes up in May, perhaps we can reach it, as we're up pretty high now, trying for bread.

The May magazines are full of African animals—the kind that may be had at 5 cents a word.

One way to get good roads would be for Taft to promise to make an automobile tour of the country.

However, Chattanooga won't miss the booze if she can just keep hilarious over Jacksonville's dry prospects.

Roosevelt will witness a "cannibal dance," but if they cut any capers with him, the jig will be up with them.

The sugar manufacturers have a word to say as to foreign beets, but this doesn't include the titled dead beats.

It is said that Senator Aldrich wishes to lead "a retired life." He may hide behind the tariff. It's high enough.

The old sultan has had to give up $250,000,000, but he is not without consolation: He has forty wives to support him.

Mr. Rockefeller's pastor, the Rev. Dr. Aked, continues to run the country—every Sunday, when he hasn't a bad cold.

Texas made enough out of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company to give every red-headed widow in the state a new spring hat.

It is well that skeletons are on the free list. That will benefit the consumer when the tariff has him down to skin and bones.

New York is shipping snakes to Europe. There would be less risk and more snakes in a few demijohns from dry sections in the south.

Luther Burbank has discovered a plant which produces both alcohol and sugar. Wonder if it would flourish in a mint bed in prohibition territory?

The Tennessee distillers are striking tents for old Kentucky, and yet that state isn't wet enough to dampen the ardor of a prohibitionist.

A Brooklyn girl went crazy from playing the piano; but that isn't the worst of it: She may have to go to the asylum and meet some of her victims.

From the far west the cry of the children goes to Roosevelt—"Spare the animals!" The children should be patient: After he has slain the animals he'll put them all in beautifully illustrated story books.

THE NEW SULTAN.

It appears that Reschad Effendi, brother of Abdul Hamid, has been proclaimed by the dominant Young Turks for the throne of the Ottoman empire.

To the extent that he seems at least honorable, just and merciful, he will be an incalculable improvement upon his cowardly and murderous predecessor. For many years he has been kept in gilded imprisonment, fearing momentarily for his life, afraid to touch food, while the sultan did not dare to cause his death lest the stolid impassivity of the Turkish population be driven to resentment.

What the world has learned about Reschad has been from random accounts of tutors to his children and casual travelers, who have insinuated their way into the palace to which he has been restricted. All stories agree that he is a kindly and scholarly man, with just and logical temperament. It is also said, however, that his long confinement and his habit of fearing death for himself and his children in every unusual shadow about the palace, has sapped his aggressiveness and reduced him to a mere courteous and apologetic shadow of a man.

Evidently, he is to be, for the time being, at any rate, a mere figurehead. The actual rulership will come from the strong heads in the Young Turks' party, the men who have through years of discouragement, toil and jeopardy of life engineered the present revolution.

The personality of the man who ascends the throne at the moment is immaterial. The main consideration is that he shall not oppose the plans which look to making a recurrence of the unspeakable conditions of the last fifty years an impossibility.

AS TO A TARIFF ON TEA.

It is pretty well settled that the new tariff bill will not impose a customs duty on either coffee or tea. The protest against the "breakfast table tax" has carried the day, and the proposal to tax these articles has practically been dropped.

There are still certain interests, however, which, for pecuniary reasons, would like to see both coffee and tea upon the taxed list.

The interesting argument is being advanced that certain of the southern states could easily develop the tea-growing industry, provided tea were taxed sufficiently to make up for the difference in the cost of production here and in other tea-producing countries.

South Carolina, the yield of whose tea farms has increased in ten years from 1,500 to 15,000 pounds, has proven that an excellent quality of tea can be grown in the southern states. The enterprise is a credit to the industry and progressiveness of that state. But the cost of production is said to be 20 cents a pound more than in the Orient, where most of the world's supply of tea is grown.

Therefore, it is urged, if a duty of 20 cents per pound were levied upon this product, it would result in the development of a great tea-growing industry in the south.

But, it may well be asked, do we want it at that price?

Where is the justice in putting an additional burden of 20 cents per pound upon the consumer in order to enable a comparatively small number of producers to build up an industry which nature has so evidently designed for other lands and other climates?

We might grow bananas in hothouses at a cost several hundred per cent greater than that in the tropical countries, where they thrive in the open field. The same argument would put a sufficient tax upon that fruit to make our hothouse crop a profitable one.

Rather let us keep to those things in which nature has given us at least a partial monopoly, than try to create monopoly artificially by putting additional burdens upon the already overtaxed producer.

We might grow coffee here by an intensive and expensive process of farming, but that would not justify a heavy tariff upon that commodity in order to enable us to seize upon an industry for which nature has not given us the facilities.

There are plenty of undeveloped and unexpanded resources in the south in which there is promise of abundant return, without trying to make the American consumer pay the cost of some expensive and, perhaps, doubtful experiment.

Though the arguments are being pretty well disseminated, it is by no means likely that the influences which are seeking to have a tariff tax put upon tea will have successful weight.

POLITICAL SANITY IN THE SOUTH.

Commenting upon the recent conspicuous and well deserved honors paid Editor J. C. Hemphill, of The Charleston News and Courier, by big eastern universities, The Springfield Republican compliments the southern states on developing a journalism untainted, in the main, by radicalism and hysteria. "South of Mason and Dixon's line," says The Republican, in substance, "there is relatively more clearness, strength and sanity in editorial writing than in other portions of the country."

Such kindly commendation from an unbiased source, indeed, from a locality that has often looked askance at the southern viewpoint, has a significant bearing upon future, no less than upon present, southern economic, political and industrial developments.

It means that within the south there is found a press fitted in qualities of courage and logic, to face, combat and solve the many and conflicting problems that concern themselves with the growth and the advancement of our people.

Before and during the war the south was noted for an able individualistic journalism. Especially preceding that momentous conflict, men with intellect and conscience capable of grappling with the instrumental issues that divided the nation fought out their meaning on both sides and in sturdy fashion in our public forums. This divergence of opinion, healthy and encouraging to the development of manhood, was continued to the very verge of the civil war, contradictory views regarding which event can be found in the yellowed files of several of the leading southern ante-bellum newspapers.

Following the peace of Appomattox and the chaos of reconstruction, the exigencies of a baffling situation gave birth to a biased and one-voiced journalism, regardless of what uneasy antagonism of opinion might be found below the surface.

The restricting demands of that day have passed. What The Republican notes is a reassertion of the original virility of debate and logical controversy that created southern statesmen and a salutary public sentiment in the old days.

Political tolerance is the groundwork of that which is admired by our New England contemporary, since strength and forcefulness in political or any other argument cannot survive save where there is freedom and independence of expression.

IS THAT YOU, MARS?

The state of Texas, which is notable for raising cyclones and that commodity the existence of which is now denied by the higher critics, threatens to add to its achievements of trust-busting by going into the business of interplanetary communication.

We are informed that the rolling and near-illimitable plains of West Texas are ideally adapted to sending and receiving the big flashes wherewith it is hoped to attract, or distract, the attention of the inquisitive inhabitants of Mars. So a movement is afoot to induce Professor Pickering, of Harvard university, to get out in the chapparal, or whatever they call the tall grass in the Lone Star State, and proceed to agitate the circumambient with furious demands upon the Martians to stand and deliver everything they know.

Power to the professor and success to his co-conspirators!

Soon our scientists will be chatting with their Martian brethren over the back fence before breakfast, so to speak. We will inform them in the convenient intricacies of the unwritten law and navy plug-cut, and perhaps they will slip us back information concerning what struck the lamented Billy Patterson and whether or not the Head Kafoozlum of the Illustrious Canals plays golf or whether he patronizes an Ananias club.

Probably the latter!

ABATING THE SMOKE NUISANCE.

According to information from Washington, federal experts not only assert the possibility of smoke prevention, but stand ready to prove it by actual demonstration.

This is good news, and quite important, if true.

Atlanta needs the services of these experts, and needs them badly. The city's progressive civic bodies ought to take in hand at once the matter of bringing them here to make a demonstration.

The particular process of smoke elimination is indicated, rather than described, in the Washington dispatches.

Smoke, it is said, is the result of imperfect and incomplete combustion of fuel; bring about complete and perfect combustion and, presto! You have no smoke.

That sounds easy and looks easy insofar as it can be judged by sound and appearance—just burn up the smoke along with the coal right in the furnace or firebox.

There are some 100,000 or more Atlantans who would like to see it done that way or any other, provided—it gets rid of the smoke.

If the experts will just trot on the method, Atlanta will welcome it as long as the remedy is not worse than the evil itself.

Atlanta shares deeply in the loss of $600,000,000 a year which is charged up to the smoke nuisance throughout the country.

If those figures are anywhere near correct, Atlanta's part of the annual loss must be way up in the several millions.

What the cost would be of applying the process of complete combustion, is not stated; that, of course, is an element in its success.

Presuming that it is reasonable and will do the work, Atlanta should go after it for all she is worth.

Send for the experts and let's try it out.

We are breathing too much smoke and paying out too much money on account of its ravages.

It is time to take a reef in Atlanta's smoke sails.

Both health and pocketbook demand it.

"JUST FROM GEORGIA"

Banjo Song.

Trouble in the country,
Trouble in the town,
But jest in half a minute
We'll dance the trouble down!

Little place too little,
Big place too big,
Come down to the low groun',
Jine us in a jig!

'Tain't so far, I tell you,
To halleluia days;
Where you hear a banjo
Trouble never stays!

Little place too little,
Big place too big,
Come down to the low groun',
Jine us in a jig!

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Roosevelt and the Cannibals.

"I mighty 'fraid dat Br'er Roosevelt won't come back fum Affiky," said Brother Dickey. "Dem cannibals over dar is wide awake. Only las' year one er de bes' missionaries we had wuz sont dar ter convert 'um, an' whilst he wuz settin' down talkin' ter 'um, de head cook had de pot on an' had done teleformed ter de grocery sto' fer salt an' pepper; an' dey spiced him, an' dey trimmed him 'fo' he had time ter raise a hymn an' take up de collection. De mistake we makes wid dem cannibals is in not sendin' 'um canned goods, 'stidder live misionary."

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Lines For May.

May'll bring a world of blossoms
And skies of living blue;
The dew falls on her flowers,
And—the
Note
Falls
Due!

The first May day is welcome:
Let April fade from view;
But—there are no golden showers
When the
Note
Falls
Due!

Yet, we're thankful that we're living:
There'll be hives of honey, too,
But—we'd like to have the honey
When the
Note
Falls
Due!

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The Eloquent Director.

The school director referred to in the following story doesn't live in the Billville district. The Hume Telephone is responsible for him:

"Children, I'm glad to see that you have ciphered cl'ar through 'rithmetic—beginning at addition and going through subtraction, perdition, admonition, derivation, creation, amputation and adoption. You went through the 'rthmetic like the last cyclone went through Kansas—you made clear shuckin' as you went. I'm much obliged to you for your attention during my predatory remarks."

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The Colonel and the Ice Trust.

"The ice trust is putting up prices at the very beginning of the season, colonel."

"I don't care, sir," said the colonel. "The days of the julep are over. When the state went dry I plowed up

my mint beds, and cut the tree down beneath which I sipped my julep in the sight of all men."

"Well, what's that got to do with the ice trust?"

"Cracked ice, sir," the colonel explained, "was primarily designed for the mint julep. That is its peculiar province!"

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Any Port in a Storm.

The poet of The Louisiana Times is out of Spring poetry, and this is the result:

"There's nothing in a name, of course;
But 'spose your name was Gatta?
Wouldn't it be easy mon—
To rhyme it up with rata?"

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Rain Philosophy.

I.

De Rainy Day
Mus' have his way—
Mus' rain in winter, ez in May.

II.

Rain can't stay high
W'en weather's dry,—
Hit 'bleege ter tumble fum de sky!

III.

"Rain on," I say,
"An' have yo' way:
I'll sleep away de Rainy Day!"

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Home Thrust.

"Here's the devil to pay again!"
"Ain't pressing you, is he?"
"Pressing me?"
"Yes. I was under the impression that the devil was waiting patiently on you!"

May Have to Come to It.

If bread, it keeps a-risin',
An' times no more are flush,
We'll have to cut grandfather
With his milk-an'-mush.

Made fun o' him so often!—
But now there'll be a rush
To share with poor grandfather
Even his milk-an'-mush!

F. L. S.

"Cheap Political Pettifogging."

(From The Macon Telegraph.)

Political pettifogging is one of the baneful things that afflict all democracies, and nowhere is the artful clap-trap plied with greater vigor, or with bolder affront to intelligence, than in Georgia by a certain class of people.

These remarks are general, but here is a case in particular: More than once recently we have seen the unblushing statement printed that "the last (democratic state) convention did not demand the abolition of the lease system." This assault upon truth is made to serve a purpose which need not be pointed out because it is plainly evident to intelligent minds.

But here are the words of the democratic platform adopted in Atlanta on the 23d day of June last:

"17. Recognizing that the cardinal principle in the enforcement of our criminal laws is the punishment of crime, the reformation of the offender, and the protection of society, we pledge ourselves to such changes in our convict system as will completely eliminate any traffic in convict labor, and so far as possible place the state convicts upon the public works."

The only excuse that can be offered for the claim that this does not demand the abolition of the lease system is that the words "abolish the lease" do not appear. But they forget to explain how the "traffic" can be abolished and the lease continue. Leasing is trafficking. They forget to explain how the convicts can, "as far as possible," be put "upon the public works," and the leasing to private parties remain. Leasing and trafficking are interchangeable terms. "Public works" is a short expression to cover work on the public roads and public buildings, and any other work that involves labor for the state that convicts can do. To put any other construction on it is to descend to the lowest political pettifogging, to resort to the cheapest evasion and avoidance, and to embrace and adopt the sorriest clap-trap ever spawned by a low and mischievous mind. But beyond the morality of it, the "argument" would be beneath the intelligence of a common school debating society.

Primate of All Canada.

Winnipeg, Man., April 27.—Archbishop Mathewson, of Rupertsland diocese, in charge of the Anglican church in western Canada, has been elected primate of all Canada.

BUILDERS OF BOYS AND BOYS AS BUILDERS

By Clifford L. Anderson.

A recent writer has wisely said, "Character building, like all other structures, is carried on by building upon what is already there, and not upon what is lacking."

This being true, those who would assist in building useful characters must lay hold upon the undeveloped faculties that are within the child before he becomes a hopeless criminal. These innate powers are perverted and the boy is said to be bad; if such powers are rightly directed, the same child is declared to be a valuable factor in his small way during his youthful days and in a larger way in society after a while.

Thinkers, educators and expert philanthropists are now beginning to see that vice is perverted virtue.

The policeman in Dickens' "Bleak House" said to Little Joe, "Move on," and the poor lad wisely replied, "I'm always a-movin' on, sir, ever since I was born. Where can I move to, sir, more'n I do?"

The sure enough boy will surely move, and it is the part of wisdom to entice him to move along constructive lines.

The Juvenile State in Jackson county, Georgia, projected by the Juvenile Protective Association, proposes to build this institution on this fundamental idea.

Every healthy boy has power and wants more. He has a heart hunger for knowledge, though he may not wish to spend hours over difficult problems in book form in order to know. Moreover, it is best for him not to be always forced to do it. Lord Bulwer says, "Nor is it in books alone, nor in books chiefly, that we are made conscious of our strength as men; life is the great schoolmaster, experience the mighty volume. He who has made one stern sacrifice of self, has acquired more than he will ever glean from the odds and ends of popular philosophy."

First, let the boy know beyond all question that he has a friend in the person dealing with him. Real friendship is a great benefit to any person, adult or child. It is another word for love, and who does not need love? What heart is not hungry for it?

Second, the child must be trusted. Even though he may be morally faulty, genuine trust will help him to overcome his imperfections, to guard against his former mistakes, in short, to be a man. Faith in the boy to do the right thing, such faith as is often felt by the boy himself, will most surely lead to good habits, and strong elements of character.

Third, the boy loves praise, and should get it, but he should also understand that he must merit praise. A boy can distinguish between mere flattery and intelligent encouragement. He will work very hard to receive a word of praise, whereas he might despise an expression of flattery.

Fourth, a boy should be taught the dignity of labor, working with that in which he has the liveliest interest, whether it be the principles and practices of mechanics, agriculture or other industry.

Fifth, a boy should be taught to have an intelligent interest in politics. If he is to be a useful citizen, this is absolutely necessary. In the Juvenile State the boy will be encouraged to seek office and fill it for the good of his youthful fellow citizens.

In this and other ways the Juvenile Protective Association will be builders of character in their institution in Jackson county, Georgia, and will inspire and train every child committed to the association, to be in turn a builder of that which is useful and will abide.

WHAT JUVENILE STATE WILL DO FOR SOCIETY

Editor Constitution: Recently there has been appearing in the columns of The Constitution a series of articles from the pen of the Hon. Clifford L. Anderson, touching upon the Juvenile State, planned by the Juvenile Protective Association. These articles are of unusual interest and must attract thoughtful consideration.

When we notice the vast amounts of money appropriated annually for court houses, jails, prison farms and also the great machinery of our criminal courts operated for the arrest and conviction of criminals, together with the long list of men employed and fees paid in the state of Georgia alone, the sum staggers the calm and sedate man who believed that he was living in a civilized country, enjoying peace and liberty under his own vine and fig tree, with none to molest and harm him. In a sense this is true, but all the while he is behind the massive bulwark of our police and criminal courts. That this defense is strong and powerful, we admit with pride; but with equal frankness we must admit that it is expensive and at best apprehends and punishes but a small per cent of our actual criminals, and, worst of all, it rarely reforms. Nevertheless, this bulwark must be and will always be in proportion to the tendency to crime manifested by our citizens; lessen the crimes and you lessen the expense of maintaining police and criminal tribunals.

Then as a matter of financial economy, the Juvenile State is worthy of our support; because it proposes to take the embryonic criminal in the plastic stage and transform him into a useful citizen.

But the greatest and most important factor in this connection is not the commonwealth, but is the individual whom the Juvenile State proposes to reform. If it is successful in this, both great ends will have been gained in so far as the sphere of influence of the protective association reaches; because we have saved a citizen from a life of shame and crime, which is the best safeguard that a commonwealth can have against riot and anarchy.

The Juvenile Protective Association purposes to take that class of children which is "morally sick," with a malady that refuses to yield to the treatment available in their environment and place them in an atmosphere where they are not influenced by the companionship of old and hardened criminals, either in the slums, on the highways, or even in the prisons, but where they are under the direction and wise management of those who never lose sight of the ultimate end in view, namely, good citizenship.

The danger that overhangs the wayward youth if he is unchecked in his downward career is imminent, and the danger to the best interests of our civic and social life is as great, because we may try ever so hard to erect safeguards against his viciousness as a grown-up criminal and shun him in every possible way, yet the fact remains that he is an integral part of our civic, if, not to say, of our social life. No fireside is safe so long as lawlessness is abroad, and noble, virtuous manhood and womanhood are never secure while surrounded by vice and immorality.

The plans and projects of the Juvenile Protective Association are of the most vital importance to all interested in the uplifting of humanity. It is well known that Dr. Hardman has contributed liberally to this cause, and that many of our most ardent and active workers in this field of endeavor are giving their time and thought to the best interests of the project, yet with all this there is an urgent call for means to continue this worthy cause.

Let all our people become interested in this consideration of a step so meritorious, and then we may feel that the ones who supply the needed means will surely satisfy themselves that here is a worthy cause in which they may forever live by the investment of their funds in its establishment and support.

PETER V. RICE.

Bowman, Ga., April 24, 1909.

Roads for Automobiles.

Editor Constitution: Anent the automobile innovation and the laws contemplating their regulation, would it not be leading to the very best results for the framers of such laws to incorporate, at least a mere suggestion, to county authorities, showing the great benefit to accrue by making a few, if not all, thoroughfares forty feet wide and setting apart one half to automobiles and the other to gentry of one-horse shay fame, with the proviso that the territory of each must be and remain sacred, except at crossings, where a slowing-up process must be adhered to in deference to the inalienable rights fathered by your Uncle Sammie, who lives in Washington city?

Any impartial student, partly informed regarding the south's awakening opportunities will cheerfully admit that the auto, if properly cared for, with the right kind of roads and laws, is destined to be the greatest equalizer of property values known in recent years.

In view of these facts would it be meet for the law-makers to rise above the mere pitiless fee contemplated and inaugurate plans, if not enact laws, looking to the preservation and development of this great harmonizer of the common interest?

Looking to future development, the automobile must have a part of the thoroughfare, even though it has to be widened; then the lash of the law could be applied to the irresponsibles with almost absolute safety, as there would seldom be any palpable excuse for accident.

GEORGE DARDEN.

Goggansville, Ga., April 26, 1909.

Gossip at the Capitol

According to an opinion furnished Secretary of State Philip Cook yesterday by Attorney General John C. Hart, there is no question as to the constitutionality of the Georgia law which requires all corporations doing business in this state, both foreign and domestic, to register with the secretary of state and to pay therefor a registration fee—one dollar the first time and fifty cents a year thereafter.

The question as to the constitutionality of the act was raised by the St. Louis and Southwestern Railroad Company, which maintains an agency in Georgia, and questioned the right of the state to require the payment of this fee. Judge Hart holds that it is in no sense a tax, but a fee provided for the purpose of paying the expense of registration and recording of certain information which is regarded as of public interest.

Seventy-Five New Dentists.

The state board of dental examiners is holding a session in the hall of the house of representatives, and seventy-five applicants for license to practice dentistry in the state are before them standing the required examination. There are 68 white applicants, graduates of the Atlanta dental schools, and seven negroes from a college outside the state.

The board's session will probably last through Saturday, as the examination is a long one, going into all the details of dentistry. The members of the state board, all of whom are present, are Dr. Thomas Cole, of Newnan, chairman; Dr. D. D. Atkinson, of Brunswick, secretary and treasurer; Dr. C. Z. McArthur, of Fort Valley; Dr. P. E. Callahan, of McRae, and Dr. S. D. Rambo, of Marietta.

Dean Named Judge.

W. O. Dean was appointed yesterday by Governor Smith as judge of the city court of Monroe, Walton county, to fill the unexpired term of Judge J. W. Arnold, Sr., deceased. Mr. Dean was in the city yesterday and qualified by taking the oath in the governor's office. The term expires some time next fall.

DeKalb's Election.

Governor Smith yesterday named May 28 as the date for the holding of an election in DeKalb county for a representative in the lower house of the general assembly to fill the vacancy created by the appointment of Hon. Murphy Candler as railroad commissioner.

New Telephone Company.

Secretary of State Philip Cook yesterday issued a license to the Effingham Telephone and Telegraph Company, of Guyton, Ga., which will run its lines to all principal points in Effingham county. The capital stock is $5,000, and among the charter members are S. O. Newsome, C. F. Berry, J. B. Simmons and L. D. Kessler, all of Effingham county.

Put the Veterans in Front.

Editor Constitution: As a confederate veteran I have marched every year on Memorial day to Oakland cemetery for twenty-five years until yesterday. Last year I decided it should be my last one unless one thing was remedied.

The march from Baker street is a hard one, especially when the confederates are put in the rear of the procession.

Every year they have been delegated further back, the military schools, colleges, firemen, police; in fact, the whole parade in front and the poor old confederates put "way back."

Now anyone knows that has ever been in the army that the hardest place to march is in the rear of a column, for whenever there is a gap in the line you have to run double-quick to close up the gap. The Belgian block pavement from Whitehall street to the cemetery is certainly fearful to march on.

You may reply to this, why not ride with the Southern Express Company and the hospital ambulances if not able to march. I hesitate to accept the charity of the Southern Express Company, especially when the wagons are filled with the one hundred occupants of the Soldiers' Home, who are objects of charity, and should ride.

The whole thing would be easily remedied; if confederates were put in front of the line they could then make it easily to the cemetery for the next twenty years.

CHARLES W. SEIDELL,
Company C, Fifteenth Georgia Regiment.

What's a Vacation Without a Kodak!

It's a near vacation, that's what. If you've ever gone on your trip without a Kodak, you've wished you had one. So be sure to slip one into your suit case this time.

We've a large stock of all the new Kodaks. The work turned out by our finishing department is peerless.

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AUTO MAGNATES HERE TOMORROW

Come to Arrange for Atlanta Show--Accessory Men United.

President Asa G. Candler, of the Atlanta chamber of commerce, is in receipt of a letter from S. A. Miles, general manager of the National Association of Automobile Dealers, with offices in New York city, stating that he and Alfred Reeves, general manager for the American Motor Car Manufacturers' Association, will arrive in Atlanta Thursday morning for a conference in regard to the automobile show to be held in Atlanta this fall.

These associations control the automobile output of the United States.

At this conference the visiting managers will confer with President Candler, President Edward Inman, of the Automobile Club of Fulton county, and E. W. Gans, president of the Atlanta Auto Trades Association, when the details of the proposed show will be worked out.

The visitors will be entertained at an automobile tour of the city and county, pointing out the various places of interest in and around Atlanta, and also the fine roads which radiate from the center of the city.

The Auditorium-Armory, where the auto show is to be held, will be carefully inspected. Other suitable entertainments will be prepared for them.

President E. W. Gans has written to President Raymond, of the Motor and Accessory Manufacturers' Association, whose directorate is to meet in New York on April 30, pointing out the many advantages to be derived from joining in with this show, and a favorable reply is expected the latter part of the week.

From all sides congratulations continue to pour in, because Atlanta has won out on this prize auto show, the first for the 1910 models, and its success is already assured.

Others have made big profits on Ansley Park auction sales in the past. Your chance comes at the auction sale at 2:30 this afternoon.

BANK DIRECTOR ON TRIAL

Charged With Being Director of Insolvent Institution.

Waycross, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—W. W. Sharpe, one of the directors of the defunct Bank of Waycross, is the first of eight indicted officials to have his case taken up for trial. His trial is only in its preliminary stage today, but it will probably begin tomorrow, as a jury will be obtained in that time.

The charge against Mr. Sharpe is being a director of a bank that became fraudulently insolvent. This indictment was attacked strongly by Hon. William G. Brantley yesterday in a demurrer that contained thirteen alleged reasons why the indictment was faulty. Judge Park overruled the demurrer and called the case for trial.

Over 100 special jurors were summoned during last night to aid in the selection of a jury as early as possible.

The Bank of Waycross, of which institution the above named was a director, closed its doors on November 23, 1907, the report being at that time that the Bank of Waycross and the First National had consolidated." Shortly after the first of 1908 receivers were appointed, A. [illegible] Knight and A. B. Brantley serving in this capacity, though there were changes from the first appointments.

VETERINARIAN
Dr. H. J. Schwartz, 39 Ivy St. Both Phones 176.

The Watch That Won Out

The Patek-Phillipe watch came out of the great Geneva timing contest with more than half the prizes and among them the highest of all.

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We are sole Atlanta agents for these watches. We want to tell you and to show you something about them.

They're great watches.

Maier & Berkele

WHITE ANSWERS BISHOP CANDLER

Praises Plans of General Education Board.

Dr. John E. White Takes Issue With Bishop Warren Candler With Regard to Work Being Done by Rockefeller and Carnegie.

Locust Grove, Ga., April 27.—(Special.) A great educational conference of representatives of nine district Baptist Associations was held here today. People from the surrounding country were in attendance in large numbers, despite unpropitious weather.

Interesting addresses indicating great enthusiasm on the subject of education were delivered by Dr. S. Y. Jamison, Dr. B. D. Ragsdale, Dr. John E. White, Dr. E. C. Dargan, Dr. B. J. Graham, Dr. R. R. Acree, Dr. J. J. Bennett and others. The movement for a state campaign to endow a system of Baptist high schools and colleges with Mercer university at its head, was the theme of the speakers, with special reference to Locust Grove academy.

Dr. John E. White, as president of the Georgia Baptist board of education, in the course of his address on "Georgia Baptists and the Educational Outlook," made evident reference to Bishop Warren A. Candler's speech at Evergreen, Ala., as published in The Constitution, and to his published criticism of colleges which have accepted assistance from the general education board of New York. He did not refer to Bishop Candler by name, and his tone was not personal or controversial, but the point of his words was very clear and sharp.

The reference of Dr. White to Bishop Candler's criticisms came near the close of his address, after he had strongly stated the position of the Baptists on education, their attitude of sympathy for the free schools and the necessity of keeping out of them whatever violated the Baptist principle of freedom of conscience for the Jew and the non-Christian, as well as for the Christian, and also the necessity forced on Baptists of providing Christian education in high schools and colleges since the constitution of Georgia expressly prohibits state aid to academies, and thus lays the burden of secondary education on the denominations and private enterprise, etc.

Dr. White then said:

Dr. White's Address.

"Now, when we look toward the future we know that the hard and glorious work is not ended, but we have great courage in what we are beginning to do from the splendid recent success which has so much tended to the organization of the educational sentiment of the Baptists of the state. We are in the broad highway of progress. Our schools and colleges are guardianed by the clear-cut principles of Christianity and democracy, built into their foundations. Their management and control are vested in the rank and file of Baptists, who, through their delegates, elect the boards of trustees annually. The cries of suspicion and alarm in other quarters contain, therefore, no appeal to the Baptists of Georgia. We do not resent good-humored and kindly-meant advice. But we are going too straight ahead with our cause in this state to join anybody's stampede. It is true we feel perfectly competent to run our own affairs, but we have no particular objection to offer if some good friend outside invites us to his "spook party." We are not afraid of spooks. We are like old Governor Brown was about the introduction of some new variety of goats into Georgia for which his aid was sought as governor. He said, 'I've had goats.' We Baptists have had 'spooks' of our own. We are emerging beautifully from the spook period of anti-board, anti-convention, anti-education agitation, but our memories are fresh with the misguided appeals to prejudice and passion which resisted the missionary and educational enlargement of the Baptists of the south from 1888 to 1900.

The Real Danger.

"We are now charged, however, to rise up in fear and wrath—that our 'educational interests are imperilled.' We do not believe it. We know what our educational interests are. We know that nothing would really so seriously wound our educational interests as a tempest of suspicion, prejudice and sectional hate in our ranks.

"We have been told recently that our nine Baptist colleges in the south are to be considered by the public as 'board-fed and board-controlled colleges,' because in their endowment movements they have secured from our own people over $1,200,000 in three years, with the conditional assistance of the general education board to the amount of only $325,000. Therefore, they are 'the caged birds' of that board. We simply say that the epithets will not stick, because the germ of truth is not in them. Every dollar of this million and a half is ours to keep and use. In the terms which these, our colleges, have accepted there is not an item nor a condition to which there is a reasonable objection. There is not a stipulation that involves the slightest outside control of endowment investments or that gives to anybody outside the trustees a scintilla of right or liberty to interfere directly or indirectly with what the colleges teach or do.

"Of all people in the world, the Baptists in Georgia and in the south have a clean [illegible] of resistance to any clamor [illegible]ice against professors, or any violati[illegible] of academic freedom. We are jealous of liberty by long and consistent habit around our colleges.

Sectional Prejudice.

"We refuse to join in any propaganda of sectional or political prejudice, because we know that it can sometimes 'capture and control colleges' and dominate 'academic opinion.' We are afraid of that. We also beg to decline to designate southerners as 'barbarians,' even in acrid sarcasm; we will not stigmatize ourselves even to make way for the imagination that somebody else regards us as 'barbarians.'

"We know we are not barbarians, and we have no reason to believe that the northern people so regard us. The Baptists of the south are in affectionate Christian cooperation with their brethren of the north. We pray 'Thy kingdom come,' and we know that sectional bitterness is not of the kingdom. We so teach in our pulpits. In our colleges of Christian education we teach as we preach. I trust we try to practice what we preach and teach.

"For the Baptists of Georgia it is the day of perseverence and progress. 'We are not divided; all one army we.' To our Methodist, Presbyterian and other people, we avow our confidence in their competency to administer their colleges as true southerners, Americans, Christians and faithful trustees, believing them to be as zealous and as honest as we are and as intelligent.

"If Trinity college, North Carolina, accepts the gifts of men who manufacture tobacco, which is believed by many people to be an evil and an injury, and these gifts are transmuted into a great Christian institution committed to the management and control of the Methodists of that state to mould and shape it, we are not, as Baptists, whatever our views on the subject of t[illegible]co, to impugn the institution and hold it up to the distrust of the public.

The freedom and respect we accord to others, we may claim for ourselves. The Baptists, Methodists and Presbyterians have moved harmoniously together in support of the needed emphasis on Christian education in this country. We are natural allies in a common cause. We have the same ideals to maintain, the same forces of competition to meet, the same great ministry to the common people to pursue."

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GOVERNMENT OF CITY ON COMMISSION PLAN

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nal, and incompetency thereby escapes detection.

Must Control His Department.

"It has been found that no capable man will assume the responsibility of an office unless he is given the power to control his department in such way as to make it a success. Men who assume responsibility without such accompanying power as will make success possible are mere time-servers and pay-getters. Competent men can be readily found who will assume the responsibility if the power to make good goes with it.

"We believe it also to have been definitely determined that the enactment of proper rules for the government of a business can best be had by those who know the most about the business and its needs. Rule making is, at best, difficult, and this difficulty is not lessened when the power is exercised by those who do not understand what is needed. One of the most prevalent evils with both states and cities is over-legislation. There is now a superabundance of ordinances, and, fortunately, the pure legislative function of the city is at present but rarely exercised, thus rendering this function of minor importance.

"To definitely define the duties of a particular department, and then to place at its head a man who has complete control is the only method by which that department can be developed to the highest possible degree of efficiency. Nor is this method fraught with any particular danger when the power is reserved in the stockholders to immediately discard inefficiency. When the standard is prescribed, and sufficient power is conferred to reasonably insure success, the result is a speedy test of the superintendent in control. In a private business, a man who succeeds is retained. If he fails, he is discharged. We see no reason why a different rule should be adopted with reference to the business management of a city, nor do we believe that any other can be, with safety, substituted.

Adopted by Other Cities.

"This elementary principle has been adopted by a number of southern cities approximating the size and general conditions of Atlanta. The results everywhere have been most favorable, and, in several instances, extraordinarily successful. The best test of the efficiency of the plan lies in its success, and the strongest argument in favor of this form of government is that no city in the south which has adopted it is now willing to return to the old government. This success has been due to the practical elimination of politics in administering the city's affairs, and, strange to say, this eradication has been accomplished with far greater ease than was at first thought possible.

"Again, if the city is to be treated as a business corporation, it is imperative that the usual business books of account should be kept, which will enable a trial balance to be had, and by which a safe and definite financial course can be steered.

"These books should show with complete accuracy not only the financial condition of the city as a whole, but of each department separately, so that they may be individually judged.

"It is well known by every business man that his financial condition is not even approximately shown unless his books carry a merchandise or stock account, accounts and bills receivable, accounts and bills payable and a detailed expense account. Unless these essential accounts are accurately disclosed, the status of his business is wholly unknown.

"We beg that it be understood we are in no sense criticising the comptroller general of the city, but an examination of the system which he is required to follow discloses that practically none of the above mentioned accounts are kept or called for by that system. There is no real estate account. A book was formerly kept, which gave a description of part of the real estate belonging to the city, but this has been discontinued. It was never maintained as an account with the necessary debit and credit entries, and no similar or equivalent account is disclosed by the present system of books. As a result, no man can tell from the books all of what is owned by the city, nor when its holdings are added to, nor when diminished. It is unnecessary to stress the importance of a merchandise account in a business set of books, for it is the basis of the business.

No Stock-Taking of City's Property.

"No stock-taking has ever been had of the city's property. More or less definite inventories are taken each year by the different departments. None of these are even approximately complete, and many of them mere totals, such as the following item: "Mules, $13,500." These inventories are not combined nor carried in the shape of an account, debited by additions or credited by property which is disposed of. When the inventory, so designated by courtesy, is furnished its function is complete, and it is replaced at the end of the year by another inventory of like character. The differences between the two inventories are not explained by the books or inventories. These inventories charge neither man nor department with the property which belongs to the city under the control of the different departments, nor is any department or man responsible for the disappearance of such property.

"It may be urged that a regular stock account will be difficult to keep, but its existence is imperative if exact knowledge is desired, and corporations whose assets extend into the millions keep it from absolute necessity.

"There is no account kept which shows either what is due in whole by, or to, the city. Such credit items as are turned in to the comptroller general by the different departments are carried in the shape of totals, and checked against the debit items, but the books practically end with this.

Expense Items Are Faulty.

"The disbursements by the city relative to expense items is especially faulty. Departments make up and discharge their own pay rolls, thus violating a fundamental law of business which cannot be violated with impunity. No vouchers or receipts are taken from which it can be ascertained whether a name upon the payroll represents a living man, nor how long he has worked, nor which identifies him by name and street address. Many of the pay rolls are signed in whole or in part by the foreman who made them out—a condition of affairs which invites other things besides ridicule.

"No accounts are kept which will accurately disclose the cost of doing business, or from which this can be made up. We regard this as being a defect important to correct, for it cannot now be told whether it is cheaper for the city to do its own work or to have the work done by contract. A competent contractor knows to a cent what each job costs him. Why should a city be more ignorant?

"A system should be adopted which will have proper accounts showing permanent improvements which should have charged off, at stated intervals, proper sums for depreciation.

"The books kept by the comptroller under the system prescribed for him, constitute only a reservoir into which mere totals are deposited. No proper books are kept which itemize these totals in these ledger accounts.

"The system now calls for mere receipts and expenditures, the one to check against the other, and both to disclose nothing with reference to detailed results of conducting the business. The system should be based upon income and expenses, and the city would then have a profit and loss account which would show "where we are at," and whether we can afford what we want. A large private business invariably carries such an account, and, as a result, it is speedily known which departments are making money and which are losing money. We believe the present system of bookkeeping of vogue in Atlanta would, in a few months, result in the bankruptcy of any ordinary business establishment which adopted it.

"Strange to say, the present books have not been audited, we are informed, for twenty years past. A somewhat novel condition of affairs, if it be true.

Some of the Logical Results.

"The inevitable logical results of the present system of keeping books and administration of the public business are indifference, inefficiency and waste. The income of the city is about $2,250,000 per annum, and the presence of waste is suggested by an inadequate police force, crowded schools and ten thousand homes without sewer or water.

"The physical presence of waste is obvious to any citizen with eyes to see. Sewers are laid upon streets where there is no water, and citizens are taxed for an improvement which they cannot use, and for years lose interest upon the principal paid. Water mains are laid in streets where there are no sewers, thus rendering the water practically unavailable. Streets are paved, and then dug up to lay sewers; relaid and dug up again for water mains; relaid and then dug up for something else, to the end of the chapter.

"Street construction, in all its phases, should be under one management, and the work done should be comprehensive and reasonably complete when it is done.

"No form of government can be devised which will by itself invariably insure an honest, competent and economical discharge of the city's affairs. The best which can be done is to adopt a form which recognizes elementary and controlling business laws, and, to them put directly upon the people the responsibility of electing faithful and efficient agents. Intelligence and honesty in administering municipal affairs at last rests upon the intelligence and honesty of the electorate. The people, like an individual, generally respond to a fixed responsibility.

The Commission Charter.

"In the accompanying charter, herewith submitted, the salient points, briefly, are:

"First. The preservation intact of all existing rights, powers and privileges of the city, with the territorial limits, tax rates, taxes, obligations, etc.

"We do not believe there is any material deficiency in the existing powers of the city. What is needed is not more power, but a better and a more efficient discharge of present power. As the strict corporate powers are generally familiar to the citizens, we have thought it best to leave them undisturbed.

"Second. The selection of a mayor and seven councilmen, in which body is vested all of the legislative, administrative and judicial, corporate functions. Each councilman is to have complete administrative control over his own department, the particular checks upon him being, first: That the salary of the employees in his department shall be fixed by the general council; second, that he must keep his department within the appropriation allotted to it; and, third, the immediate displeasure of the people. No person is qualified for these offices who is either directly or remotely connected with any public utility corporation. These officers are eligible to succeed themselves, for we see no reason why an agent should be disqualified because he has successfully administered his office.

"If his administration is unsatisfactory to the public, he is at once deposed, prior to the expiration of the term for which he is elected, by a petition signed by one-fourth of the registered voters. If he desires vindication, he must run again. It is believed this provision puts the public at large more directly in contact with, and gives it more control over, public agents than is now possessed, and will enable a mistake in public judgment to be speedily corrected.

"In lieu of a large unwieldy body of legislators, such ordinances as are needed will be enacted by men who understand what is needed, and, in place of responsibility being divided among so many as to be completely dissipated, it is fixed upon a specific individual.

Receipts and Expenditures.

"3. All public receipts must come through one department, and all expenditures go through another department, and a system of bookkeeping is called for, which checks one of these departments against the other, and both against all other departments. A stock-taking is to be annually had of the city's property, an account thereof kept, and this account must be debited with accretions, and credited with such property as is consumed, sold or thrown away. A system of income and expense bookkeeping is called for which will show what the profit or loss is.

"4. A general paymaster is to be elected who shall discharge the pay rolls of each department, taking a receipt for each payment which will show the amounts paid, the number of days worked, and the name and street address of the person to whom the payment is made. These receipts are to be kept of file, subject to public inspection.

"5. An impartial accountant is to be selected each year by the presidents of the national banks located in the city, whose duty it shall be to audit the books of every department, and whose report shall be a public document.

"It is believed the banks of the city are vitally interested in knowing the city's condition, and competent to select a competent accountant. His selection by an independent source should yield the truth.

"6. Monthly statements of the receipts and expenditures, and, after the first year, comparing these receipts and expenditures with the same month of the prior year, shall be made out by the city comptroller and furnished the newspapers of the city. In this way the public can be kept fully advised of the results of each department, and of the then condition of the city as a whole.

"7. All wards, ward lines, ward representations and boards are abolished.

Ward Representation Is Vicious.

"It is believed the system of ward representation is inherently vicious, and generally productive of machine-made little men who are dominated by isolated, local interests. The city is an integral unit, with but one welfare, and should be conducted always in the light of this truth.

"By the abolishment of boards it is thought greater security to the person and property of the citizens will be achieved. It will certainly enhance the public peace, and remove a prolific source of unenviable publicity. The efficient discharge of one of the departments of the city which, while embarrassed by lack of men and machinery, has not been hampered by a board, is an eloquent argument in favor of the commission form of government. The notorious inefficiency of another department of the city which is hampered by a board is an equally eloquent argument against the present form of government.

"The only board provided for by the charter is the school board, which, by reason of the peculiar technical requirements, has been found to work fairly satisfactorily in this and other cities.

"8. The city is to be divided into voting districts for the purposes only of easy registration and ballot casting.

"9. In order to eliminate politics so far as possible, no person is rendered competent to serve in any department of the city who is related within the third degree, by blood or marriage, to the mayor or any of the councilmen. The mayor, or any councilman, or any employee of any department, who attempts to influence the political views of another in municipal affairs is guilty of a serious misdemeanor, forfeits his office or employment, and is not again eligible to hold office, or to take employment with the city, for the period of ten years thereafter. Business and politics are ill-mated, and should be permanently divorced.

"10. Weekly public meetings of the mayor and council must be had, and attendance is rendered imperative by a provision that a failure to attend three successive meetings, without proper excuse, forfeits the office.

People to Vote on Franchises.

"11. All public franchises must be submitted to the people for ratification, and cannot be granted over their protest. Bond issues must be likewise submitted.

"12. All contracts above $500 must be advertised and let to the lowest and best bidder. No person connected with the city government can be in any way, directly or indirectly, interested in such contracts. A violation of this term is a misdemeanor, and results in a forfeiture of the office then held by such person, and ineligibility thereafter for the period of ten years.

"13. Ordinances may be submitted to the people for ratification, and, if rejected, cannot be thereafter enacted by the mayor and council. Ordinances desired by the people shall be submitted to them when requested by a petition of one-fifth of the registered voters, and, when adopted, can be repealed only by a majority vote of the people.

"In conclusion, we beg to say that in framing this charter we have been guided alone by what we believed to be the best interests of the city as a business institution. We are aware that it will be cordially opposed by office-seeking politicians and those who would use the city for personal ends, as an earnest attempt has been made to eliminate them and politics so far as practicable. Any suggestion from any source which will more certainly tend to accomplish this result will be gladly accepted and supplementally reported by the committee.

Hue and Cry May Be Raised.

"We are also aware of the fact that a hue and cry will be raised upon the ground that the plan suggested is not democratic. This we deny. Generally speaking, we believe any plan of government possesses the essential elements of democracy when the ultimate power is lodged with the people, and an impartial examination of the plan proposed by the committee will demonstrate that more power is given by it to the people than is now possessed by them. This power is centralized and made speedily available to the voters, in place of being scattered and effective only at intervals of a year apart. No form of government can be undemocratic which permits the people to select the public agents, and which gives them the power to remove these agents whenever, in their judgment, good cause has been shown.

"We believe that an intelligent weighing by the public of the character and ability of the men who offer for office; the placing with these men sufficient power to enable them to successfully discharge the public duties, with requirements insuring the conduct of public affairs upon universally known business principles, and with the right to recall any incompetent or faithless agent, will go far toward improving existing and now obsolete methods.

"The comments herein contained are not directed toward any officer or agent of the city, but at a system which is so antiquated and defective as to constitute an ever-present menace to the public good.

"Since the above was adopted by the committee, it has been agreeably informed that one department of the city has been recently partially examined by an expert public accountant, and the results of his independent work fully conform to the conclusions reached and above stated by this committee in reference to the system under which the city's books are kept. Respectfully submitted, Charles T. Hopkins, David Woodward, Craig Confield, Frederick J. Paxon, Edgar Watkins, Martin F. Amorous, John E. Murphy, Charles W. Bernhard."

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A meeting of the wholesale near beer dealers has been called for this morning by Charles C. Jones, for the purpose, so he stated yesterday, of boycotting C. M. Callaway, who has been running a near beer saloon at 123 Decatur street, and has been twice convicted in the recorder's court of violating the prohibition law.

The boycott, however, will not have much effect on Callaway's business, as he closed his saloon yesterday morning, and tacked up a sign on the door which read "For Sale."

Although the proposed boycott may not affect Callaway, it may nevertheless have a very good effect, so the wholesale near beer dealers think, by letting the beer venders know that the wholesale men will not countenance blind tigers.

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SHOT ABOUT ELOPEMENT.

Father of Girl Claims Man He Shot Aided the Runaways.

Statesboro, Ga., April 27.—Charging that Dr. J. A. Stewart assisted his 15-year-old daughter, Maggie, in a runaway marriage Sunday, W. J. Williams is said to have attacked Dr. Stewart at Aaron station, on the Savannah, Augusta and Northern railway, yesterday evening and, after punching him in the face with his pistol, shot at him three times.

Stewart had a gun in the bottom of his buggy, which he drew and returned the fire, filling Williams' arm with small shot.

Both men are prominent, and the occurrence has created much excitement.

Stewart denies having anything to do with the marriage.

The SEABOARD'S morning train to Birmingham leaves at 6:30 a. m., arrives Birmingham 12:10 noon; Pullman and dining car service. Get your breakfast on the train. Effective May 2.

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Jack Daniel, of Lynchburg, Tenn., Refuses Use of His Name on Whisky.

Nashville, Tenn., April 27.—Jack Daniel, of Lynchburg, Tenn., former owner of the famous Jack Daniel Distillery, has been converted, and has been baptized into the Baptist church. He insists that his name be no longer used in connection with the whisky which he made famous.

B. A. PUGIN ANSWERS DR. LEN G. BROUGHTON

He Says Dr. Broughton Rushes Into Print With False Statements.

In reply to the statement of Dr. Len G. Broughton, published in yesterday's Constitution, B. A. Pugin, who is at the head of a movement for a public address at the Grand next Saturday evening in regard to Dr. Broughton's pastorate, has furnished the following statement:

Editor Constitution: It would appear from your paper that Dr. Len G. Broughton is seeking to "unmask" himself, as he for some reason seems conscious that this cap will fit him. At once he presumes he is the man to be attacked, and with characteristic haste rushes into the press with false statements. He seems to have the idea that any man, or number of citizens bold enough to attack him are either devils or lunatics. If, according to his view, attacks on public men are only made by lunatics and devils, then he is an arch-devil or a raving maniac, tearing his hair, for this has been his occupation for a decade in this city.

He is pleased to refer also to a suit now pending in the courts. I have made no reference to this and the lecture has no connection whatever with this matter. I hope to settle that in the courts and not in the press—one is of private and the other of public concern. He claims that this suit was made a personal matter, which is true, because he made a personal contract with me, but he was slick enough, after the suit was brought, to shift the responsibility of the case on the church, which should have had no connection with it.

He refers to the address to be made at The Grand as an effort at "blackmail," but the people of this city will understand that it is a very public method to pursue in a case of that character. That fact is, this will offer an opportunity, which he has enjoyed so long, of freedom of speech in a house rented where such a privilege may be exercised of the public welfare.

Georgia Postmasters.

Washington, April 27.—(Special.)—Major Hugh Gordon, of Atlanta, is in the city to prosecute a claim case in the court of claims.

The following Georgians registered today at the leading Washington hotels: P. H. Snook, Randall Clifton, Mrs. M. H. Brownlee, Miss Brownlee, Atlanta; S. J. Anderson and wife, Eastman; W. H. Main, Will H. Sheppard, Ellijay.

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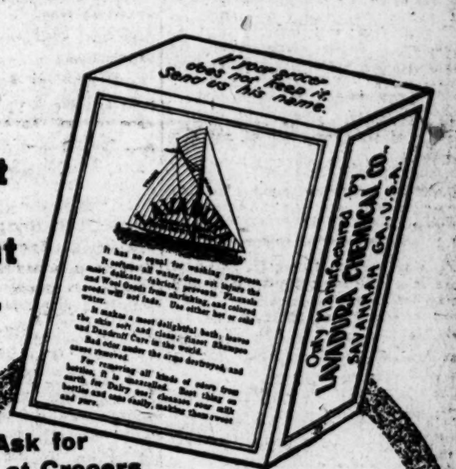

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Mathews-Lyle.

The wedding of Miss Fannie Mathews, of Montgomery, Ala., and Mr. Edward Lyle, of Atlanta, which occurs this morning at the home of the bride in Montgomery, is of interest to a wide circle of friends of the contracting parties throughout the south. The ceremony will be performed in the presence of only relatives and a few intimate friends, on account of the recent bereavement in the death of the bride's father. Miss Mathews will be attended by her sister, Mrs. E. M. Little, and Mr. Lyle will be attended by his brother, Mr. Charles Lyle, of St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Mathews is popular in the social life of Montgomery and Alabama, and possesses an attractive personality which has won her many friends and admirers. She is a young woman of intellect, whose executive ability has caused her to become a leader in the affairs of women in Alabama. She has taken a prominent part in welfare and educational work in Montgomery. Miss Mathews is a daughter of the late C. L. Mathews and a great-great-granddaughter of George Mathews, who was twice governor of Georgia, a United States senator from Georgia and a prominent revolutionary character. He was a member of the Cincinnati Society, formed by Washington's officers, and his remarkable life is written by Washington Irving.

Mr. Edward Lyle is a Virginian by birth, and has been a resident of Atlanta for the past six months, having charge of the right-of-way department of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company. He came to Atlanta from Montgomery, where, for several years, he was manager of the Southern Bell Company, during which time he was prominent in the business and social life of Montgomery. He is a member of one of the distinguished families of Virginia. He is a graduate of Columbia university, and received his early education at the Virginia Polytechnic institute. He played a prominent part in the political affairs of Virginia, and among other positions of honor was a member of the state senate. He is now a member of the state statue committee of the work of selecting statues of Lee and Washington. While on his wedding trip he will attend a meeting of this committee in Norfolk, Va.

Immediately after the ceremony this morning Mr. and Mrs. Lyle will go east on an extensive bridal trip, and upon their return will be at the Majestic hotel, in Atlanta.

Ladies' Aid.

A praise and prayer service will be given at the Inman Park Presbyterian church tonight at 8 p. m., under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. Special music. Everybody cordially invited. A free will offering will be taken.

Morning Bridge.

Miss Kate Waldo will entertain at bridge Thursday morning in compliment to Miss Lillian Solomon, of Macon, who will be her guest for a few days, and to Miss Mary Williams, of Jacksonville, the guest of Mrs. R. H. Jones. The party will number sixteen.

Asbury-Morris.

A pretty wedding of yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock was that of Miss Luna Asbury and Mr. Romney S. Morris, which took place at the bride's home on Washington street.

The bride's sister, Miss Austine Asbury, was maid of honor, and Mr. Luke Morris was best man. Miss Eunice Asbury, of Clarkesville, and Miss Ruth Morris were ribbon bearers.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Little.

Only relatives and most intimate friends were present, owing to illness in the family of the bride.

Scholarship Candidates.

The Girls' High school Alumnae Association announces the following candidates for scholarships:

Alumnae scholarship, J'Anita Morgan; Agnes Scott scholarship, Rebie Harwell, Eva Wurm, Frances Ledrele; business scholarship, Wynma Ford, Blanch Webb, Zelma Jones.

Voting will take place from 2 to 5 p. m. Friday, April 30, in the music room at the Girls' High school.

The Riley.

There will be a large and complete rehearsal today of "The Riley," one of the prettiest of the fancy dances to form a feature of the tissue paper ball. The rehearsal will take place this morning at 11 o'clock at Segadlo's, Mrs. W. L. Peel, chairman, directing the occasion.

Birthday Party.

Little Miss Dorothy Whiteside, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fort, of 109 East Fifth street, celebrated her third birthday yesterday afternoon when she entertained a number of friends at a delightful party. Those present were Masters Florence May, Richard Mower, Ross Durant and Samuel Stark, and little Misses Martha Boynton, Lucy Moyer, Frances Ewing, Martha Ridley, Estelle Fort and Margaret Moore.

Birthday Dinner.

Henry V. Blacknall was the genial young host on Monday evening at a handsome dinner party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Blacknall, on Washington street.

The occasion celebrated his fourteenth birthday, and seven of his schoolmates from Marist college shared the evening's enjoyment.

They were seated at a table brilliant in its decorations of rose-color and green. The centerpiece was of roses, and the birthday cake burned fourteen candles, set in roses embossed on the cake. The lights overhead were shaded in rose-color and green, and were reflected in the tinsel that was garlanded around the centerpiece and over the table cover. Silver dishes were filled with strawberries, glaces and other confections, and the enjoyment of a delicious menu was accompanied by a happy flow of college sories and jokes.

After dinner Mr. and Mrs. Blacknall escorted the boys through a complete tour of all the moving picture shows.

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At Fort McPherson.

Mrs. Colville P. Terrett and Miss Terrett will entertain at bridge Thursday afternoon at Fort McPherson.

Matinee Luncheon.

Miss Maizie Thurston was hostess yesterday at a pretty luncheon in compliment to Miss Corenna Gripp, of Pittsburg, the guest of Miss Eliza Dancy.

The party of six were seated at a table decorated with Killarney roses. The centerpiece was of these flowers, the silver candlesticks had pink silk shades, and the candles were pink.

Miss Thurston was becomingly gowned in pink rajah and lace.

After luncheon the luncheon party occupied a box at the Grand.

Sophomores Entertain.

On Monday evening, the 19th, the sophomore class of Agnes Scott college entertained very charmingly the seniors.

The Propylean hall, in which the guests were received, was beautifully decorated with spring wild flowers, which with the many lights and the dainty costumes of hostesses and guests made up a scene of rare beauty.

Much merriment was occasioned by the reading of nameless character sketches of the various members of the senior class, together with prophecies, in humorous vein, of their future greatness, the object of the game being to guess the member intended in each case.

To Miss Mitchell.

Mrs. R. C. Congdon will entertain a few friends at bridge this afternoon in compliment to her sister, Miss Elise Mitchell, of Bethlehem, Pa.

Bridge Tea.

Mrs. Walter Stearns entertained delightfully at bridge yesterday afternoon at the Piedmont Driving Club, in compliment to Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham, of Charlotte, the guest of Mrs. Archibald Davis, and at 5 o'clock the bridge players were joined by a few other guests at tea.

Decorations of dogwood and palms were arranged with taste, and dainty refreshments were served at the small tables.

The prizes were a hand-painted salad bowl and cream pitcher, and they were won by Mrs. Archibald Davis and Mrs. W. L. Peel. The guest of honor was presented a parasol.

Mrs. Stearns was becomingly gowned in pastel green silk and she wore a black picture hat.

To Miss Breen.

Mrs. Kate Wootten and Miss Katherine Wootten entertained delightfully at tea yesterday afternoon to introduce their attractive guest, Miss Elizabeth Breen, of Nashville.

Their home on West Peachtree street was fresh with the charm of spring flowers, combined with the house palms and ferns, the decorative combination of white and green harmonizing with the white woodwork and pastel-tinted walls. The feathery branches of double syringa was reflected in the mirrors, set in the white mantels, and in the dining room the table centerpiece was of fragrant white pinks. Punch was served in the hall. Miss Nella Lou Walton, of Newnan, presiding there, and Mrs. Frank Neely poured tea.

Mrs. Wootten wore a handsome black silk and lace gown. Miss Wootten wore a dainty toilet of white embroidered mull and lace, and Miss Breen wore wistaria-colored foulard, trimmed with net the same color, and embroidered bands. Miss Walton wore a rose-colored silk gown, trimmed with lace.

Among those assisting in entertainment, Mrs. Neely wore a satin gown in pale rose color, trimmed with cream lace and embroidery. Mrs. Pearl Wright wore apricot satin trimmed with net, and embroidered bands. Miss Elizabeth Schlesinger was gowned in pink silk. Miss Margaret Bryan wore rose-colored silk embroidered. Mrs. Martin Dunbar wore a cream lace gown. Mrs. Frank Lovette wore a blue cloth gown.

Among those calling, Mrs. Hinton Hopkins wore sage green voile trimmed with embroidered bands and a green straw hat, trimmed with flowers and velvet ribbon. Mrs. Robert Otis wore a black jetted gown and a black hat trimmed with jet and black plumes. Mrs. Charles P. King wore a black and white foulard gown with a black picture hat. Mrs. J. H. Smith was gowned in gray cloth and her black hat was trimmed with flowers. Mrs. Fred Cole wore a black silk gown and a black picture hat.

St. Anthony's Bazar.

The bazar which the ladies guild of St. Anthony's Catholic church has been holding at 55½ South Pryor street, will come to a close tonight, when all the remaining goods will be auctioned off and the pretty booths will be stripped of their attractive decorations.

The president of the guild, Mrs. W. L. Bridwell, and, in fact, all of the guild's active members, have been untiring in their efforts to afford pleasure and entertainment for the large number who have called at the bazar.

Luncheons will be served today for 35 cents from noon till 2 p. m., and tonight supper, for 50 cents, will be served from 6 p. m. until 8 o'clock. The ladies have been serving most attractive meals, and numbers will regret on this account alone that the bazar will come to a close.

Miss Pansy Douglas was the winner of the stove contest.

Buffet Luncheon.

The buffet luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. Barbour Thompson, at her pretty new home in Ansley Park, was a beautiful affair in compliment to two attractive visitors, Mrs. Charles Chase, of Hartford, who is the guest of Mrs. Egleston, and Mrs. Van Landingham, of Charlotte, the guest of Mrs. Archibald Davis.

The guests were seated about the dining room and adjoining apartments, and platters of delicious things were passed.

In the dining room the table centerpiece was a bowl of iris in its pale lavender shade, and around it were smaller vases of the lilies. The table cover was a rich one of crochet, and all the decorative details were in the shades of purple.

The house was handsomely decorated with palms and spring flowers, and twenty ladies were assembled.

Mrs. Thompson was becomingly gowned in biscuit-colored chiffon, embroidered. Mrs. Chase wore a white lace gown, and Mrs. Van Landingham wore blue rajah silk.

Club Meeting.

Mrs. James L. Dickey, Jr., entertained her bridge club yesterday morning at the Driving Club, and the occasion was one of informal enjoyment.

Mrs. Harry Stearns won the prize, silk stockings, and the game was followed by a dainty luncheon. The luncheon table had an artistic decoration in dogwood.

To Mrs. Claiborne.

Mrs. Ernest Morris gave a pretty card party yesterday afternoon at her home on Myrtle street, her sister, Mrs. Claiborne, of Knoxville, the guest of honor.

Smilax and palms were used with pink and white roses in attractive decoration, and pink and white were the colors continued in many details of entertainment. Dainty refreshments were served after the game, and the dining room table, with its platters of sandwiches and cakes, and its dishes of confections, was handsomely appointed.

The prizes were a brass candlestick and a bridge set.

The guest of honor was presented a cut glass bowl.

Mrs. Norris was gowned in pink pompadour silk, and Mrs. Claiborne wore light green marquisette, trimmed with lace and fringe.

Tennis Club Reception.

The Tennis Club of Decatur gave an informal reception Monday afternoon on their courts. There was a series of games for entertainment and dainty refreshments were served.

At the Lunch Room.

The ladies of the Sacred Heart church will continue today and the rest of the week the serving of lunches and dinners at the lunch room in the House that Jack Built. The menu yesterday, and its daintiness delighted the patrons of opening day, and a similar high standard will be repeated in today's program.

Orders may be either table d'hote or a la carte, and in the afternoon tea is served. The hours are 12 to 6.

Meetings.

The 1908 History Class will meet this morning at 10:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Stephen T. Barnett, 16 West North avenue.

The Nineteenth Century History Club will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. B. Whitehead. Election of officers.

The Atlanta Art Association will hold a meeting at 10 o'clock this morning in the basement of the Carnegie library. As important business is to be transacted, every member is urged to be on hand on the hour.

Social Items.

Mr. George Yundt is in Washington.

Mr. Kearsley Selden is in Washington.

Miss Sadie Morris is in Americus.

Miss Pearl Asbury continues ill at her home in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Raley are at home at 250 North Boulevard.

Mr. St. Elmo Massengale returned yesterday from New York.

Miss Bessie Jones has returned to Park seminary, Washington, D. C.

Miss Anita Stewart will give a house party in June on her return from Vassar.

Mrs. Horace Crane, of Savannah, is the guest of Mrs. Joseph Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chase, of Hartford, leave today for Hot Springs, Va.

Mrs. T. M. Brady is at St. Joseph's, where she is recovering from an illness.

Mrs. Jennie Finley will entertain the North Side Club of Decatur this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rushton are making their home for the present at East Point.

Mrs. Robert Jones, of Washington, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Love.

Miss Annie Lou Jackson, of Athens, is the guest of Miss Lucy Durham in Decatur.

Miss Katherine Milledge will entertain her bridge club Thursday morning in Decatur.

Mrs. Thomas P. Hinman will return the last of the week from Americus and Pelham.

Mrs. Poleman Weeks is convalescing after an operation at Elkin-Goldsmith's sanitarium.

Rev. A. C. Ward spent yesterday at Locust Grove, where he attended the educational rally.

The Current Critics Club of Decatur will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Victor Moore.

Miss Nancy Waldo will return today from Miss Sujette Lanier's house party at West Point.

Mrs. Foster Hawthorn has as her guest Mrs. H. E. Edwards, her sister, from Winder, Ga.

Miss Eunice Asbury, of Clarkesville, was in the city yesterday for the Asbury-Morris wedding.

Dr. Stewart Roberts and wife have returned from an extended trip to New York and other cities east.

Misses Willie and Dimple Napier, of Nashville, have returned home after a visit with Miss Eliza Candler.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hardeman have moved into the McClesky home on College avenue in Decatur.

Dr. B. W. Gwin, formerly pastor of the First Baptist and other Atlanta churches, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Raymond Ansley, who has been attending school in North Carolina, is the guest of Miss Mamie Ansley.

Mrs. Will Elkin, Jr., one of the talented organists of the city, is now playing at the West End Baptist church.

Mrs. Will Lanier, of West Point, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Campbell, at 305 North Jackson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Brown entertained a few friends informally at cards last night for Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham.

Mrs. George Crandall will entertain next week in compliment to Mrs. R. A. Smythe's guest, Mrs. O'Neill, of Charleston.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson won the prize, silk stockings, at the bridge club meeting yesterday morning with Mrs. Will Glenn.

Miss Esther Burns, who has been ill for several weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Burns, is slowly improving.

Mr. O. D. Street, of New York, formerly of Atlanta, is being welcomed by his many friends here on the occasion of a few days' visit.

At the euchre club meeting yesterday with Mrs. W. A. Speer, Mrs. Floyd McRae and Mrs. Carlton Miller won the prizes, silk sunshades.

Mrs. E. H. Ehney's afternoon tea on Friday will be the first of a series, and a compliment to Mrs. O'Neill, of Charleston, and Mrs. Van Landingham, of Charlotte.

Mrs. Wycliffe Gray, of New York, with her young son, Wycliffe, Jr., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Malone, at Ansley Park. Master Gray has been quite ill during their stay here.

Mrs. Lucia Jeter entertained two tables of bridge last night in compliment to Miss Mary Williams, of Jacksonville, who is visiting Mrs. R. H. Jones.

Mrs. Hugh McKee will entertain two tables of bridge Thursday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham, of Charlotte, the guest of Mrs. Archibald Davis.

Mr. Clarence Blosser, Mr. Charles Atkinson and Mr. James R. Holliday will attend the Stratton-Branham wedding in Nashville Thursday.

Mrs. C. C. Hodges and Miss Huggins, of Knoxville, have been spending several days in the city to attend the Asbury-Morris wedding yesterday.

Miss Susan Hines will entertain informally Friday afternoon in compliment to Miss Katherine Wooten's guest, Miss Breen, of Nashville.

Miss Mildred Spratling will entertain informally this week in compliment to Miss Nellie Kiser Stewart's guest, Mrs. W. C. Burns, of Griffin.

Miss Wilhelmina Drummond will entertain at bridge Friday afternoon in compliment to Miss Harriet Bloodworth, of Forsyth, a bride-elect of June.

Amy Boyce Lokey is the name given the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Lokey. She bears the name of her maternal grandmother, Mrs. R. T. Hamilton, of Birmingham.

Little Misses Hal and Elizabeth Crawford, the young daughters of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Crawford, will take part as fairies in the "Midsummer Night's Dream" next Friday at Marist college.

Mrs. Edward Peters will entertain twelve young women at bridge Friday morning in compliment to Miss Dancy's guest, Miss Gripp, of Pittsburg, and luncheon will be served on the porch.

Miss Eloise Stewart is making a series of visits in New York and Connecticut, and she will not return home until after the graduation from Vassar of her sister, Miss Anita Stewart, in June.

Mrs. A. M. Schoen will entertain a few friends informally at 5 o'clock tea at the Driving Club this afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Claiborne, of Knoxville, the guest of Mrs. E. E. Norris.

Miss Ella Howson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Howson on Spring street, near North avenue, and who has been dangerously ill for some weeks past, is now convalescing nicely.

Mrs. Miller B. Hutchins and the Misses Hutchins will spend the summer in the mountains of north Georgia. Mrs. William Austell has rented their home in Ansley Park for the hot months.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Wessels entertained at a bowling party last night at the Driving Club, the affair a small one in compliment to Miss Elisabeth Davison, of Nashville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont Davison.

The friends of Mrs. Thompson French are sympathizing with her in the death of her sister, Mrs. William E. Miller, which occurred at her home in Indianapolis Tuesday morning. Mrs. Miller was well known in Atlanta, having often visited her sister here.

Mrs. J. Dana Claudman and Miss Lois Rennie will entertain at the Country Club of the Atlanta Athletic Club in honor of the senior class of Washington seminary on next Friday, April 30, from 4 to 6 p. m. Miss Lois Rennie is a member of the senior class of the seminary.

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BEN GREET PLAYS.

Tickets for the Ben Greet Shakespearean play on the greensward at Cox College, on May 3 and 4, are now on sale at the Cable Company.

The opportunity of a lifetime is offered in the Ansley Park auction sale of lots this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock sharp. There can never be any more lots like these.

LIEUT. LOUIS SOLELIAC GOES TO THE TWELFTH

Telegraphic advices from Washington on yesterday made the announcement that Lieutenant Louis Soleliac, of the Seventeenth infantry, stationed at Fort McPherson barracks, had been transferred to the Twelfth regiment, infantry, stationed at Fort Jay, N. Y. In the same dispatch came the news that Lieutenant E. A. Dewy had been transferred from the Twelfth regiment to the Seventeenth. From this it would seem the officers had arranged an exchange and the transfer had been ratified by the war department.

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The bands match the flounces. Besides those that match there are quantities of odd bands, some in colors, some plain and many unusually smart, new designs.

All of these are in the sale, but their regular prices will be lessened, some by a fourth, some by a third, some by a half.

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Convicted of Arson.

Owensboro, Ky., April 27.—J. A. Harris, a prominent insurance and real estate dealer, was convicted in the circuit court here today of arson, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. He was charged with atempting to burn his store building in February last. He came to Owensboro from Louisville.

Wants $50,000 Damages.

Rome, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—Fifty thousand dollars is the amount of a damage suit which has been brought against the Southern railway by Frank H. Ansley for the loss of an arm in a wreck. It is claimed that Ansley, as an engineer, was making a run on a freight train between Selma and Birmingham, near Norman, when his train collided with another.

Suffer With Toothache?

If you don't, you're very fortunate; but if you do, you'd better have the tooth treated, for if you let it run on, it might give you any amount of pain and trouble. Come in and see us; we'll give your teeth a thorough examination and turn you over to an expert in whatever line of dentistry your ailment calls for. Our prices are the lowest, too.

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THE WEATHER TODAY: SOME SHOWERS AGAIN

Weather Man Says Rain, but Promises Clear Weather by Night.

Forecast for today: Showers, clearing off, cool towards night. An extensive trough of low pressure covers the lake region, Ohio and Mississippi valleys and the co on belt, causing threatening weather and rain throughout the territory mentioned. A northwestern high barometer is central over Nebraska, and caused temperature falls of 10 to 22 degrees from the Mississippi west to the Rockies and as far south as northern Texas. Light showers and warm weather prevail along the Pacific coast.

"It certainly is no joke," said the Gopher, "to sit on the bleachers under an umbrella waiting for the rain to stop in order that the game may start. It is something that grates on my nerves and makes cold chills run down my back, but of course it can't be helped. It seems as if I was the only one that had faith in the fair and warm forecast, for I was all alone on the bleachers. The water trickled down in my shoes, and when I finally gave up in despair I mired up to my ankles while walking across the soggy diamond. That also was no joke, but the temperature trickled to 64 degrees."

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Ask the soda fountain boy for PEP-TU-LAC. It looks good—tastes good—is good. Contains no "dope" or heart stimulant. 5 cents.

Boilermakers Convene.

Louisville, Ky., April 27.—The International Master Boilermakers' Association met here today in its third annual convention, with more than 200 members present. The first session was given over to welcoming addresses and their responses and the reading of reports.

IN ATLANTA MARRIAGE BRIDE GAINS HER WISH

Wanted to Live in Georgia, Marries Georgian, and All Is Well.

The wish of Miss [illegible] Moss, of Derry, N. H., expressed six years ago, while traveling through Georgia [illegible] last night at 8:30 o'clock, when she was married to Rev. Henry Franklin Sales, of the Christian church, in Tallapoosa, Ga., by [illegible] Smith, at his residence 58 Dunn street.

On her last trip through Georgia Miss Moss, who had traveled all over the world, fell in love with Georgia, and told her friends that it was the place she would like to make her home. "I have been granted my wish now," she said after the marriage ceremony.

She met Rev. Sayles while she was visiting in Pine Flat, Fla., where he was the pastor. She came to Atlanta for the wedding ceremony.

ASSOCIATION WORKING FOR MOUNTAIN SCHOOLS

Excellent Talks Are Made at Meeting in Chamber of Commerce.

The Mountain Educational Association, an organization for the benefit of mountain schools, held a meeting yesterday in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. B. M. Zettler made a talk on rural schools. Mr. Robb also made a brief talk. Miss Elizabeth Hanna made an appeal for Rabun Gap. Mrs. B. H. Wey appealed for scholarships to help deserving girls. Miss Leone Westbrook spoke on the founding of an industrial school for girls. She was heartily applauded.

GRANT ON WATER WAGON FOR THIRTY LONG DAYS

It Will Take That Long to Reach Europe From New York.

Laurie Grant will leave Atlanta tonight for New York to make a start on the longest water wagon cruise ever undertaken by any of the local tennis fraternity. He has elected to make his European trip on the Royal Mail steamer, which takes in the British West Indies, and other places en route, and it will be thirty days before this boat reaches the "getting off point."

Killed on Wedding Eve.

St. Louis, April 27.—Instead of being a bride today, Mrs. L. E. Stone, who was to marry Albin H. Little this afternoon, is mourning his death. Little was killed last night by a street car while he was on his way to the home of Mrs. Stone for his last ante-nuptial call. Mrs. Stone collapsed when she heard of her fiance's death.

J. R. SMITH HEADS WEST SIDE CLUB

Will Work for Two New School Houses.

Name Is Changed From West Side Improvement Club to West Side Progressive Club. Many Changes Proposed for Improvement of the Section.

Permanent organization of the West Side Progressive Club was perfected last night at a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of west side citizens, held in the warehouse of the Piedmont Candy Company, corner of Peters street and Madison avenue.

James R. Smith was elected permanent chairman and William H. Terrel secretary. Definite plans for the work to be undertaken in the upbuilding of this section of the city were adopted in a paper, prepared by Assistant City Attorney James L. Mayson, at whose home, on Walker street, the initial meeting was held last week.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday night in the same warehouse. The mayor and council, the board of trustees of Carnegie library and the board of county commissioners will be extended a special invitation to attend. By that time the steering committee and the publicity committee will have been named by Chairman Smith.

Names Is Changed.

The report of Mr. Mayson was then read and adopted. The name was changed from the West Side Improvement Club to the West Side Progressive Club, on account of the fact that another body of citizens have been organized under the former name.

All citizens residing on the west side are allowed to enroll as members of the club. Citizens residing in other sections of the city who are property owners on the west side will be entitled to honorary membership.

The first efforts of the club will be directed toward securing two new school houses, in lieu of the present Walker street school; street improvements, one or more parks and a boulevard leading through the west side to the country beyond.

After the paper was adopted, the officers named above were elected. Mr. Mayson's name was first presented for chairman, but by a parliamentary trick he gracefully withdrew his name and placed in nomination for the place Mr. Smith, who was elected before a vote could be taken for Mr. Mayson.

Then followed a number of addresses, in which were made suggestions for improvements of the west side and plans for future consideration of the club.

The advisability of changing Peters street from McDaniel to Park street was referred to the steering committee.

The motion of Councilman Alonzo Johnson, warning the board of police commissioners that the removal of the houses under the viaduct to the west side would not be tolerated, was unanimously adopted.

J. J. O'Donnell, assistant forecaster of the local weather bureau, made a suggestion that a little prado or park be laid out near the corner of Ashby and West Hunter streets. There are no parks of any kind in that section of the city, and Mr. O'Donnell's plan met with general approval.

Location of Schools.

The steering committee was authorized to take in hand the location of sites for the two proposed school houses and to confer with the library board in reference to the building of the branch library on the west side. Councilman Frank Hilburn stated that he had presented to council a resolution asking for appropriations for the proposed school sites and buildings.

The work of widening of the College Park road was unanimously indorsed and the club resolved to cooperate, as far as possible, with those having the movement in charge.

Councilman Johnson stated that at the next meeting of council he intended introducing a resolution providing for the opening up of Beckwith street, from Ashby to the end of Nelson street. He was assured of the hearty cooperation of the club.

Upon a motion made by C. I. Branan indorsement was given to the effort being made by the people of Battle Hill to get the street car company to extend the West Hunter street line to Battle Hill.

Among the citizens making short addresses, whose names are not mentioned above, were: Hon. Harry A. Alexander, member-elect of the legislature; Captain W. M. Middlebrooks, former councilman; Henry L. Collier, commissioner of public works; Mr. LaHatte, W. H. Blackstock, Dr. E. L. Connally, J. E. Jackson and Alderman Curtis.

W. H. Blackstock, who is chairman of the West Side Improvement Club, extended an invitation to the citizens to meet with his club at the Primitive Baptist church, on Kennedy street, next Friday night.

HANDSOME MONUMENT UNVEILED AT LAFAYETTE

Hon. George M. Napier Orator of Day—Town Decorated for the Occasion.

Lafayette, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—The unveiling exercises of the confederate monument occurred this morning in the presence of a large concourse of people, probably the largest ever assembled in Lafayette.

The invocation was by Hon. John Y. Wood, the orator of the day. Hon. George M. Napier, of Alabama, was introduced and delivered a most able and eloquent address.

Mrs. S. J. Patton, president of the local chapter, presented the monument to the veterans of Walker county, and in their behalf it was accepted by Hon. B. F. Thurman in an eloquent and appropriate address. The drapery was drawn from the monument by Misses Helen Dale and Margaret Patton and Messrs. Robert Glenn and Robert Steele.

All the business houses were decorated with the confederate colors, as were also many residences. After the exercises the graves of the confederate soldiers were decorated. The monument is situated just north of the courthouse and is a handsome shaft, 25 feet high.

GEORGE ADAIR IS HEAD OF THE ATHLETIC CLUB

Five Directors Are Named at the Annual Election of the Club.

George Adair was reelected president and W. H. Glenn vice president of the Atlanta Athletic Club at the annual election yesterday afternoon. Henry Davis, Coke Davis, Frank H. Reynolds, Bryan M. Grant, and W. K. Stone were made directors, the vote being as follows: Henry Davis, 351; Coke Davis, 318; Frank Reynolds, 310; Bryan Grant, 279; W. J. Tilson, 224; Cone Maddox, 219, and W. K. Stone, 190.

SPECIAL TRAIN GIVEN TO THE TELEGRAPHERS

The Atlanta telegraphers are working vigorously and successfully for the reception and entertainment of the six or seven hundred delegates to the coming convention of the Order of Railway Telegraphers in Atlanta week after next.

A feature sure to please and delight the thousand or more visitors to the city was added yesterday when the Southern railway informed the chairman of the telegraphers' committee that the railway would give the telegraphers as a compliment a train from Atlanta to Lithia Springs on the 12th, the day set aside for an old-time barbecue. President Finley and Superintendent Norris, of the Southern, have been invited to be the guests of the Dixie Club at the barbecue.

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PROGRAM COMMITTEE MEETS THIS MORNING

There will be a meeting of the program committee of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce this morning, for the purpose of discussing the call for a meeting of the chamber membership to take up a number of pending matters. This committee will also perfect the details in regard to the joint debate to be held on May 13, when the discussion as to whether the commission form of government is best for Atlanta will be taken up by two prominent citizens of Des Moines, Iowa, where it is in vogue. One of the commissioners will take the side favoring it, while a prominent opponent of the plan will take the negative.

Attend the Fifth Annual Spring Auction Sale of Ansley Park lots at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

EDITORS OF ATLANTA TO INSPECT HOSPITAL

There was no quorum at the meeting of the Grady hospital board of trustees yesterday afternoon at the hospital building, so the four trustees who braved the elements to hear the first report of Dr. W. B. Summerall, superintendent, adjourned. Those present agreed to invite the editors of all the Atlanta papers to make a special tour of inspection and investigate the growing needs of the hospital.

Don't miss the Fifth Annual Spring Auction Sale of Ansley Park lots at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. All your friends will be there.

B. M. GOODE, FOR YEARS A RESIDENT of Rockdale county and for a long time connected with the state agricultural department, has given up his home in Conyers and has moved to Atlanta, locating in the Inman Park section.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER

GEORGIA—Fulton County.

To the Superior Court of Said County:

The petition of Francis L. Eyles, W. J. Laney and Leo Sudderth, all of said state and county, shows:

FIRST: They desire for themselves, their associates and successors, to be incorporated and made a body politic under the name and style of

AMERICAN DISTRICT PROTECTION AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANY,

for the period of twenty years, with the privilege of renewal at the expiration of that time.

SECOND: The principal office of said company shall be in the city of Atlanta, Ga., but said corporation shall have the right to establish branch offices and carry on its business at other places within this state and elsewhere, whenever it sees fit to do so.

THIRD: The object of said corporation is pecuniary gain to itself and its stockholders.

FOURTH: The business to be carried on by said corporation is the furnishing of police, night watch, fire, burglar and sprinkler supervision and valve alarms, including the erection of poles and fixtures and the stringing and operation of electric wires, or the renting or leasing of facilities necessary to its business; also the operation and renting of vehicles propelled by electricity, gasoline, horse or other motive power for the transportation of property and persons in said city of Atlanta and elsewhere at its option.

FIFTH: The capital stock of said corporation shall be ten thousand (10,000) dollars, with the privilege of increasing the same from time to time in any amount or amounts to any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars, upon a vote of a majority of all the capital stock of the corporation. The capital stock may be reduced in any amount or amounts at any time or times to any sum or sums not less than ten thousand (10,000) dollars, upon a vote of a majority of all the capital stock of said corporation. The stock shall be divided into shares of one hundred (100) dollars each. The subscriptions of said stock may be paid in money or property to be taken at a fair valuation. One thousand (1,000) dollars, or ten (10) per cent of said capital stock has been actually paid in.

SIXTH: The corporation shall have the right to make all necessary by-laws and regulations and to do all other things that may be necessary in the successful carrying on of said business, including the right to buy, sell and lease property suitable to the purposes of the corporation, and to execute notes and bonds as evidence of indebtedness incurred, or which may be incurred, in the conduct of the affairs of the corporation, and to secure the same by form of lien under the law. The corporation shall also have all such other rights, powers, privileges and immunities as are incident to like corporations or permissible under the laws of Georgia.

WHEREFORE, petitioners pray to be incorporated under the name and style aforesaid, with all the rights, powers, privileges and immunities herein set forth, and as are now or may hereafter be allowed a corporation of similar character under the laws of Georgia.

W. P. BLOODWORTH,
Attorney for Petitioners.

Filed in office this April 20, 1909.
ARNOLD BROYLES, Clerk.

STATE OF GEORGIA COUNTY OF FULTON.—I, Arnold Broyles, clerk of the superior court of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the application for charter of American District Protection and Transportation Company, as the same appears of file in this office.

Witness my official signature and the seal of said court this 20th day of April, 1909.

(SEAL) ARNOLD BROYLES,
Clerk Superior Court Fulton County, Georgia.

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WANTED—Two teachers in the Herod school district of Terrell county for the term of 1909-10. Term 9 months. Salary, $60 and $50. Address J. H. Brim, Dawson, Ga.

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TWO furnished rooms. 210 Spring St. Ivy 3206-J.

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HERE'S 42x165, fronts two streets; fine business property. The owner wants to sell and places price at $5,500. It's between Jackson and Boulevard. This ought to interest you, dead sure.

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THIS fine property is right where the big improvements are being made, and you must know Edgewood avenue is the coming business street. Things are going out there. Price $12,500.

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YOU can buy this choice cottage at price named on terms of $1,000 cash and $20 month. Get out and see it right away; then come to our office and we will do the balance. Lot is 54x150.

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8 rooms, 195 E. Pine st.	32.50
8 rooms, 3 Angier ave.	35.00
8 rooms, Maxelton sta., Central of Georgia; modern	22.50
7 rooms, 418 S. Pryor st.; A No. 1 condition	30.00
6 rooms, 133 E. Linden ave.	25.00
6 rooms, 54 Nutting st.	20.00
6 rooms, 574 S. Pryor st.	25.00

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Bradstreet's Available Supplies

New York, April 27.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies as compared with previous accounts:

Available supplies:

Wheat—United States, east Rockies, decreased 1,874,000 bushels; Canada, increased 481,000 bushels. Total United States and Canada, decreased 1,493,000 bushels. Afloat for and in Europe, decreased 600.00 0bushels. Total American and European supply, decreased 2,093,000 bushels.

Corn—United States and Canada, decreased 1,424,000 bushels.

Oats—United States and Canada, decreased 1,560,000 bushels.

The leading decreases reported this week follow:

Manitoba, 170,000 bushels; Goderich, 167,000 bushels; Chicago private elevators, 130,000 bushels; Louisville, 85,000; St. John, 77,000 bushels; Milwaukee private elevators, 55,000 bushels; Minneapolis private elevators, 50,000 bushels.

Attend the Fifth Annual Spring Auction Sale of Ansley Park lots at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

LATEST REPORTS FROM ALL THE MARKETS

COTTON FIRM IN TONE BUT PRICES LOWER

Opened at Decline, Then Rallied Slightly—Closed 6 to 8 Points Net Lower.

New York, April 27.—The cotton market had a nervous day, with fluctuations irregular and the close firm in tone, though prices were 6 to 8 points net lower.

The opening was easy at a decline of 2 to 3 points and during the early session the market sold off to a net decline of 11 to 14 points under the liquidation by yesterday's buyers and local bear pressure, which was encouraged by disappointing cables, a smaller spot because in New Orleans reports of rain in the southeast and talk of increased southern offerings. Strong bull interests were large buyers of October on a scale downward and this demand, when aided by profit-taking on the part of recent sellers for a turn, caused a moderate rally during the middle of the day, but after returning to within 7 or 8 points of last night's final, the market weakened under talk of easier spot markets and apprehension that some leading bulls were reducing their lines on all hard spots. The market at one time showed a net loss of 15 to 18 points. During the last hour, however, the undertone was much steadier, on covering by early sellers, the idea that the advance in the prices of structural steel reflected a better grade condition and talk of reduced acreage in eastern sections of the belt. Last prices were 9 to 10 points up from the lowest. Notwithstanding the talkk of easier spot offerings from the south, the southern markets, officially reported, early unchanged to 1-8c higher. The detailed weather reports from Texas showed precipitation at several stations, ranging from a trace to 1.76 inches.

Receipts at the ports 36,721 bales, against 28,378 last week and 11,909 last year. For the week 130,000 bales, against 144,274 last week and 58,932 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 10,698 bales, against 4,217 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 15 points lower; middling uplands 10.75; middling gulf 11; no sales.

New Orleans Cotton.

New Orleans, April 27.—Cotton spots weer easy; low ordinary 6 5-8c, nominal; ordinary 7 7-16c, nominal; good ordinary, 8 7-8c; low middling 9 3-4c; middling 10 5-16c; good middling 10 11-16c; middling fair 11 1-16c; fair 11 13-16c, nominal. Receipts 10,698; stock 216,640; sales 1,500 on the spot and 100 to arrive.

Futures opened steady at a decline of 7 to 8 points in response to a much lower Liverpool market than had been expected, and on reports of rains in Texas. Full weather reports showed that the drouth in Texas had at last been broken and this caused free selling for both long and short account. Under the pressure, the active months fell off to a level 12 to 15 points lower than yesterday's closing. In the afternoon session, the market steadied up on profit taking by shorts, and reports of a late season and probable reduction of acreage in the central and eastern portions of the belt. The buying caused almost a full recovery, the market closing steady at a net decline of 1 to 2 points.

Dry Goods.

New York, April 27.—The primary cotton goods market held very firm and converters are buying contracts on some goods for delivery in the late months of the year. The inquiry for goods is better for the day, but prices tendered were too low for sellers. Cotton yarns are irregular. There is fair export trade passing with miscellaneous ports. Men's wear is active for fall on duplicate business.

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, April 27.—Closing: Cotton, spot quiet; prices 1 point lower; American middling fair 6.07; good middling 5.71; middling 5.51; low middling 5.33; good ordinary 5.06; ordinary 4.69. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5,600 American. Receipts 12,000 bales, including 400 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet.

	Opening Range.	Close.	Prev. Close.
April	5.39½-5.39	5.35½	5.39
April-May	.. ..	5.35	5.39
May-June	5.39	5.35	5.39
June-July	5.43½-5.43	5.39	5.43½
July-August	5.47	5.43½	5.47
August-September	5.44½	5.40	5.44
September-Oct	5.41 -5.42	5.36	5.41½
October-Nov	5.39	5.35½	5.39
November-Dec	5.37½	5.33½	5.37
December-Jan	5.38 -5.37½	5.33	5.36½
January-Feb	5.36½	5.32½	5.36
February-March	5.37 -5.37½	5.33½	5.36½

Comparative Port Receipts.

Following were net receipts at the ports on Tuesday, April 27, compared with those of the corresponding day last year:

	1909.	1908.
New Orleans	10,698	4,217
Galveston	12,231	5,017
Mobile	2,711	561
Savannah	4,156	1,483
Charleston	3,311	23
Wilmington	1,413	226
Norfolk	1,212	341
New York	264	.....
Boston	50	41
San Francisco	2,685	.....
Totals	36,731	11,909

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

	1909.	1908.
Houston	4,286	1,795
Memphis	424	1,388
Augusta	144	27
St. Louis	458	802
Cincinnati	104	219
Totals	5,418	4,231

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

Galveston, 3,500 to 4,500, against 3,469 last year.

New Orleans, 7,500 to 8,500, against 3,478 last year.

Naval Stores.

Charleston, S. C., April 27.—Turpentine firm at 37c. Rosin quiet. A B C $3.40; D $3.52½; E $3.67½; F $3.77½; G $3.85; H $4.10; I $4.10; K $5.05; M $5.10; N $5.15; window glass $5.20; water white $5.25@5.40.

Savannah, April 27.—Turpentine firm at 36½c. Sales 1,047; receipts (2 days) 1,249; shipments 633. Rosin firm; sales 628; receipts 3,247. Shipments 965; stock 99,233. Quote: B $3.22½; D $3.45; E $3.60; F $3.72½; G $3.77½; H $3.90; I $4.15; K $4.70; M $5.05; N $5.20; window glass $5.30; water white $5.35.

New Orleans, April 27.—Receipts, 175 barrels rosin; 26 barrels turpentine. Exports for New York, 400 barrels rosin; 152 barels turpentine; for Costa Rica, 10 barrels turnpentine.

Wool.

St. Louis, April 27.—Wool unchanged; medium grades combing and clothing 20@25c; light fine 18@22c; heavy fine 12@18c; tubwashed 25@31c.

Boston, April 27.—The local wool situation is very strong. In domestic wools, the reports of wool houses are actively bidding for the new clip, and prices have been forced to levels higher than have been recorded for four or five years. Montana wool has sold at 32 1-2c as against about 17 to 18c last year and at about 18 cents for the same wools earlier in the present season.

The Montana clip is practically all cleaned up.

Foreign wools are strong and active.

The leading domestic quotations range as follows:

Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces XX 34@35c; X 32@33c; No. 1 washed 38@39c; No. 2 washed 38@39c; fine unwashed 23@24c; half-blood combing 30@31c; three-eighths blood combing 30@31c; quarter-blood combing 29@31c; Delaine washed 39@40c.

Kentucky, Indiana and Missouri three-eighths blood 29@30c; quarter-blood 28@29c.

STOCK DEALINGS SHOW SHRINKAGE

Irregular Movement of Prices Indicate Speculative Uncertainty.

New York, April 27.—The halting and irregular price movement in the stock market today argued speculative uncertainty. Not only was the price movement wavering and doubtful, but the dealings went a considerable shrinkage. The subsidence in activity extended to the bond market, and the tone there was rather heavy, as well, with none of the rapid absorption going on that was in evidence last week. The conviction still held that the prospect of some curtailment of the redundant money supplies was at the root of the sentiment for slowing up the pace of the speculation. The call loan market is but little affected, but the facility with which credits can be obtained for speculative use is modified, nevertheless. Closer scrutiny of collateral is one method of indirect admonition adopted by the bankers. This makes its influence especially felt in the class of closely-held, obscure stocks which have been so prominent of late in the hands of the market pools. In contrast to the rigid holdings of prices in these stocks, some of them are now found without adequate support, and yield abruptly on scarcely more than nominal offerings for sale. The heavy undertone of the market had no news to explain it, and there were stocks which made sustaining points in response to favorable advances. United States Steel was firm on account of the general conjecture that the quarterly report of the earnings for the first three months of the year, to be published after the market closed, would make a favorable contrast with the preceding quarter, and especially would be better than suppositions current some time since. The estimates current during the day of the earnings to be reported, ranged from $21,000,000 to over $22,000,000, and as the actual report gives the amount as $22,921,268, the accuracy of the information on which operations were based may be judged. The iron and steel industrials were helped, also, by reports of locomotive orders from several of the large railroad systems. The report was also circulated that the Carnegie company has advanced the price of bars, plates and tons. The importance of such a movement in the steel trade would be beyond denial; but today's reports lacked authentic confirmation, and was met, in fact, by denials from some quarters. Hitherto the growth in business which has been secured by price concessions has been the limit of the improvement shown in conditions. The period when the demand thus incited will have become sufficient to meet the offered production and start prices upward, will be a new and very definite stage in the progress of the recovery. Another point selected for measures to support values was in the local traction group, and this proved unfortunate, since the news of the reception and passage by the senate at Albany of the 5-cent Coney Island fare measure came in the midst of the advance in those stocks. The violent reaction which followed in Brooklyn Rapid Transit had a disturbing and unsettling effect on the whole list of securities. The metal stock other than steel and the smelting stocks were weak points, and offset the influence of the firm tone of United States Steel itself. The decline in Reading also exerted its usual strong sympathetic effect on the whole market. The belief that a settlement of a wage agreement with the anthracite miners was imminent, failed to help the stock. The change in the Turkish sovereignty was accepted with the same equanimity that other events at Constantinople have been. Interest for time loans continue to advance, over-the-year maturities commanding ¾ to 3½, compared with a recent rate of 3 per cent for that period. An upturn in wheat was not of a favorable effect on stocks.

Bonds were heavy. Total sales, par value $5,008,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, April 27.—Today's statement of the treasury balance in the general fund, shows: Available cash balance, $124,911,421; gold coin and bullion $42,578,346; gold certificates $40,643,980.

Money and Exchange.

New York, April 27.—Mone yon call steady at 1¾@2 per cent. Ruling rate 2; closing bid 1¾; offered at 2.

Time loans dull but strong, sixty days 2 ¾per cent; six months 3@3¾.

Prime mercantile paper 3¾ to 4 per cent.

Sterling exchange weak, closing strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86@4.8610 for sixty-day bills, and at $4.8735 for demand.

Commercial bills $4.85½@4.85¾.

Bar silver 52¾.

Mexican dollars 44.

Atlanta Clearings.

Comparative statement of the Atlanta Clearing House Association, Darwin G. Jones, manager:

	1909.	1908.
Monday	Holiday.	Holiday.
Tuesday	$807,345.73	$723,203.48

Foreign Finances.

Paris, April 27.—Closing: Three per cent rentes, 97 francs, 15 centimes, for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs, 16 centimes, for checks.

London, April 17.—Bullion amounting to £137,000 was taken into the bank of England on balance today.

Berlin, April 27.—Exchange on London 20 marks, 46 pfennigs for checks. Money, 1 1-2 per cent. Private discount rate, 1 7-8 per cent.

London Stock Market.

London, April 27.—American securities opened steady today. During the first hour trading was quiet and prices were from 1-8 to 1-2 above yesterday's New York closing. After a slight reaction the market closed uncertain.

Consols for money and account 4 7-8.

Illinois Central 149.

Louisville and Nashville 141 3-4.

Southern Railway 29 3-8.

Southern Railway preferred 70 1-4.

Bar silver, steady, 24 1-8d per ounce.

Money 1-2@3-4 per cent.

Rate of discount in the open market for short bills 1 1-8@1 3-16 per cent; for three months' bills 1 1-4@1 5-16.

Sugar and Molasses.

New York, April 27.—Sugar, raw steady; fair refining 3.45; centrifugal, 96-test 3.45; molasses sugar 3.20. Refined steady; crushed 5.75; powdered 5.15; granulated 5.05.

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WHEAT MAKES GAIN OF OVER TWO CENTS

Liberal Buying on Belief That Reaction From the Slump Was About Due.

Chicago, April 27.—The wheat market rallied sharply today from yesterday's severe slump, July advancing 3 cents from the low point of the previous session. The close was strong at almost the top and at net gains for the day of 1 7-8@2 to 2 1-4@2 3-8c. Coarn, oats and provisions also closed strong.

The bulge in wheat prices today was due chiefly to buying, based on the general belief that a reaction was due from the sensational slump of the last few days, during which time the July delivery had declined 13 1-8c from the high point of the season. One of the leading bulls was credited with liberal purchases, extending throughout the entire session, while shorts also were active bidders. Prices rose steadily all day and at the close the May delivery sold at the top notch, at $1.21, while July was only 1-2@1-4c below the best mark, at $1.08 5-8. Weather conditions in this country were generally favorable to the growth of the fall-sown crop, although reports from experts now on a tour of investigation throughout Ohio and Indiana claim that the crop in those two states is not responding as it should to the warmer weather and that the harvest promise is extremely poor in the most important counties in that section. Cold weather in the northwest was said to be delaying seeding operations in Minnesota and the Dakotas. A falling off in primary receipts also tended to encourage some buying. Declines at all the leading European grain centers seemed to have little effect on the trade here.

Corn traders here paid no attention to a decline of 3-4d in the price of that cereal at Liverpool, but bought the grain freely all day, causing sharp advances in all deliveries. The May option was especially strong and closed at a net gain of 2 1-8@2 1-4c, compared with the previous close. Light receipts, a heavy decrease in local stocks, a continued good demand for the cash grain and the inability of shippers to meet the eastern demand counted heavily in favor of that delivery. During the day, May sold between 69 1-2 and 71 5-8c and closed at 71 1-2@71 5-8c. July ranged between 67 3-8c and 69 1-8c, and closed at the top.

Oats exhibited considerable firmness and closed at net gains of 3-8 to 7-8c over yesterday's final quotations. Northwestern intereats were free buyers of the July delivery, while country houses were liberal purchasers of the more deferred futures. Cool weather in the west and southwest is causing some apprehension concerning the new crop in those sections, and the prediction of frost tonight for Indiana, Illinois and Missouri had a tendency to increase this anxiety. The range on May for the day was 55 3-8c to 56 3-8c and the close was at 56 1-2@ 56 1-4c.

An advance of 5c in the price of live hogs and the bulge in corn had a bullish effect on the provisions market, there being a good general demand all day. At the close, prices were 10 to 22 1-2c higher, compared with final quotations of the previous session.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	118½@¾	121	118½	120
July	106¾@107	108¾@¾	106½	108¾
Sept	99¾@100	101¾@¾	99¾	101¾@¾
Dec	99¼@¾	101	99¼	100¾@101
CORN—				
May	69¼@¾	71¾	69¼	71¼@¾
July	67¾@¼	69¼	67¾	69¼
Sept	66¼@67	68¼	66¾	68¼
Dec	53	55¾	53	54¾
OATS—				
May	55¾	58¾	55¾	58¼@¾
July	48¾	49¾	48¾	49¾
Sept	41¾	42¼	41¾@¾	42¼
Dec	42	43¼	42	42¾@¼
MESS PORK—				
May	17.87½	17.82½	17.85	17.82½
July	18.02½	18.10	17.97½	18.07½
Sept	17.90	18.07½	17.87½	18.05
LARD—				
May	10.32½	10.35	10.32½	10.35
July	10.35	10.50	10.35	10.50
Sept	10.50	10.62½	10.47½	10.62½
SHORT RIBS—				
May	9.87½	9.92½	9.85	9.92½
July	9.75	9.87½	9.72½	9.87½
Sept	9.87½	9.97½	9.82½	9.97½

DAILY MOVEMENT OF PRODUCE.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	25,600	41,100
Wheat, bushels	19,200	164,200
Corn, bushels	103,400	252,900
Oats, bushels	344,000	191,100
Rye, bushels	2,000	.....
Barley, bushels	102,000	39,500

CAR LOT RECEIPTS.

Wheat 15 cars, with 2 of contract grade; corn 106 cars, with 25 of contract grade; oats 25 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 114 cars, compared with 173 cars last week and 205 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

GRAIN STATISTICS.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 54,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 173,000 bushels, compared with 308,000 bushels, the corresponding day a year ago. The world's visible supply, as shown by Bradstreet's, decreased 2,093,000 bushels. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat 6 cars; corn 38 cars; oats 90 cars; hogs 35,000 head.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, April 27.—Closing: Wheat, spot steady: No. 2 red western winter, no stock. Futures steady: May 8s 6½d; July 8s 7¾d; September 8s 7½d. Corn, spot strong: American mixed, new, via Galveston 6s 4½d. Futures steady: May, nominal; July 5s 3½d.

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STEEL TRUST DIVIDENDS.

They Are Unchanged From the Previous Quarter.

New York, April 27.—Regular quarterly dividends of 1 3-4 per cent on the preferred stock and one-half of 1 per cent on the common stock were declared today by the directors of the United States Steel Corporation. These declarations are unchanged from the previous quarter.

The net earnings for the quarter were $19,185,069, as compared with $16,166,260 for the corresponding quarter of 1908, an increase of $3,018,809.

The surplus for the quarter was $3,026,674, as compared with $7,865,000 for the corresponding quarter last year, an increase of $3,018,809.

The unfilled orders, March 31, were 3,542,595 tons, a decrease of 222,740 tons from the same quarter last year.

The statements of earnings by months shows that business was better in March than in Feoruary, and better in February than in January. The earnings by months were:

January $7,262,605; February $7,669,336, and March $7,989,327.

All the officers of the company have been reelected.

Cotton Region Bulletin.

Atlanta, Ga.—For the 24 hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, April 27, 1909.

STATIONS OF ATLANTA DISTRICT	Temperature Max.	Temperature Min.	Rainfall, inches and hundredths
Atlanta, rain	74	57	T.
*Chattanooga, cloudy	72	53	.00
Columbus, cloudy	69	53	.00
Gainesville, cloudy	72	54	.00
Greenville, cloudy	74	52	.00
Griffin, cloudy	74	55	T.
*Macon, cloudy	68	58	T.
Monticello, cloudy	75	55	.00
Newnan, cloudy	74	52	.02
Rome, cloudy	70	54	.00
Spartanburg, cloudy	68	50	.00
Toccoa, cloudy	71	48	.00
West Point, cloudy	74	58	.00

*Minimum temperatures are for 12-hour period ending at 8 a. m. this date.

HEAVY RAIN.

Evergreen, Ala., 1.70; Mobile, Ala., 1.86; Robeline, La., 1.74; Texarkana, Tex., 1.86; Port Gibson, Miss., 1.70.

CENTRAL STATION	Number stations reporting	District Averages Temperature Max.	Temperature Min.	Rainfall, inches and hundredths
Augusta	11	72	52	.00
Atlanta	13	73	54	T.
Charleston	5	70	56	T.
Galveston	20	83	64	.94
Little Rock	18	76	58	.94
Memphis	16	76	48	.10
Mobile	10	70	6	.94
Montgomery	10	70	60	.94
New Orleans	16	78	64	.70
Oklahoma	10	72	56	.26
Savannah	16	70	62	.16
Vicksburg	11	74	62	1.00
Wilmington	10	78	56	.84

Remarks—Cloudy, threatening weather with rain prevails throughout the belt; the rain being quite heavy in portions of Louisiana, Alabama and Mississippi. The temperature continues nearly stationary in all sections.

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Cotton Seed Oil.

New York, April 27.—Cotton seed oil was easy under scattered selling by longs, but firmed up later on covering by shorts, light offerings of crude and with strength of coton and hog products. May 5.58 to 5.60; July 5.80@5.82; August 6.00@6.02; October 5.90@5.90. Spot oil quiet; prime crude 4.47@4.54; prime summer yellow 5.57@5.60; prime white 5.87@6.00; prime winter yellow 5.95@6.05. Futures closed strong.

	Open.	Close.
April	5.50@5.59	5.55@5.59
May	5.

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So-Called Turpentine Trust Cases Being Heard at Savannah — Witnesses From Every Part of the Country.

Savannah, Ga., April 27.—(Special.)—With a jury ready, the prosecution and defense having outlined their contentions and the first of a mass of documentary evidence having been introduced, the "turpentine trust" case at the adjournment of today's session of the United States court here, had reached the testimony stage and it is expected that the first of several score witnesses will be placed on the stand tomorrow.

Despite that, the case will contain much that is technical and that the questions asked prospective jurors in the eligibility test were searching to the last extreme, yet fifteen minutes sufficed to fill the jury box.

Assistant District Attorney Alex Akerman outlined the government's case, while Judge Samuel B. Adams spoke for the defense. In view of the recent efforts of Senator Tallaferro, of Florida, to have passed a naval stores inspection bill through congress, the statement of Judge Adams that had the alleged diversion of naval stores been from Savannah to Jacksonville, instead of vice versa, the act would have been commendable, instead of subject for a criminal indictment, is interesting.

Some of the men who now face trial have already tested the weight of a penalty imposed in federal court on a similar charge. They have contributed towards a fine of $30,000, which was paid two years ago, when they pleaded guilty of what, in ordinary language, is "being a trust."

Sentence as Well as Fine.

It is stated that over their heads was placed a threat that if they should ever again appear before the federal court here on a similar charge and be found guilty, the sentence would not be merely a fine.

The indictment which brought the cases into court this time charges the American Naval Stores Company, the National Transportation and Terminal Company and six officers of the former, E. S. Nash, president; S. P. Shotter, chairman of the executive committee; J. F. Cooper Myers, vice president; C. J. DeLoach, secretary; George Meade Boardman, of New York, treasurer, and Carl Moeller, of Jacksonville, manager of the naval stores company, with conspiracy in restraint of trade and to monopolize the naval stores trade of the United States not only, but also abroad, diverting trade from its natural port to another, issuing false statements of market conditions, fraudulent grading of naval stores and attempted bribery and threats of boycott.

Ketcham Indicted.

An outcropping of the "trust" case is the charge of perjury, which has been brought against Percy Ketcham, of Chicago, who was formerly in charge of the Brooklyn, N. Y., yards of the American Naval Stores Company. A telegram informing Ketcham that he had been indicted for perjury was sent to Chicago. He was in Denver, Col., and the message was forwarded. Ketcham, as soon as he received the telegram, boarded a train and came straight through to Savannah and gave bond. Former grand jurors appeared before the present grand jury in this case.

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"AFRICA JUBILEE DAY" AT GAMMON SEMINARY

"Africa Jubilee day" was the attraction at the Gammon Theological seminary yesterday with Rev. Homer C. Stuntz, D.D., of New York, first assistant corresponding secretary of the board of foreign missions, the feature at the afternoon session.

Rev. M. C. B. Mason, D.D., corresponding secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society, who has for years been busy in Africa, talked interestingly on "The Freedmen's Aid Society and the Evangelization of Africa."

Bishop J. C. Hartzell presided during the three sessions of the day and in presenting the speakers was interesting and entertaining.

"Women's Work" was most interestingly presented at the night session by Mary Haven Thirkield, of Washington city, who is vice president of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church. She is the wife of Dr. Thirkield, for many years president of the Clarke university.

Today has been given over to reunions of the various classes of the seminary and of the university.

CONDITION OF OAKLAND PLEASING TO DAUGHTERS

Mrs. W. D. Ellis, president of the Ladies' Memorial Association, has called the attention of The Constitution to the fact that the criticism made in the paper of yesterday in regard to the cutting down of trees in Oakland cemetery did not emanate from the association or its membership. They state they are entirely pleased with existing conditions in the cemetery. The squib was printed at the solicitation of a lady who was at the cemetery on Monday and who bemoaned the fact that the trees were being cut down.

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MARKETS—	Tone.	Middling.	Net Receipts.	Gross Receipts.	Sales.	Stock.
Atlanta	Steady	10 1-8	.....	.....	.....	.....
Galveston	Quiet	10 5-8	12,881	12,231	100	87,288
New Orleans	Easy	10 5-16	10,096	10,708	1,000	216,040
Mobile	Quiet	10 1-8	2,711	2,711	.....	34,188
Savannah	Steady	9 15-16	4,156	4,156	1,075	84,613
Charleston	Steady	10.00	1,311	1,311	.....	17,167
Wilmington	Quiet	10 1-8	1,413	1,413	.....	12,100
Norfolk	Steady	10 5-16	1,212	1,212	676	94,582
Baltimore	Nominal	10 5-8	.....	550	.....	10,618
New York	Quiet	10.75	304	5,702	.....	116,995
Boston	Quiet	10.75	50	354	.....	.....
Philadelphia	Steady	11.00	.....	600	.....	6,968
San Francisco	.....	.....	2,685	2,685	.....	.....
Totals today			36,731	.....	.....	811,899
do. 2 days			79,237	.....	.....	.....
do. since September 1			9,066,058	.....	.....	.....

Exports—To Great Britain, from Galveston 17,407. Total 17,407.
To Continent—From Galveston 2,950; from New Orleans 1,633; from Wilmington 5,750. Total 10,942.
Coastwise—Galveston 80; Savannah 2,530; Charleston 1,329; Norfolk 2,566.
To Japan—From San Francisco 2,685.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

MARKETS—	Tone.	Middling.	Net Receipts.	Gross Receipts.	Shipments.	Sales.	Stock.
Houston	Steady	10 3-8	4,288	4,288	4,793	2,794	85,307
Augusta	Steady	10 1-4	144	144	.....	579	46,577
Memphis	Steady	10 3-16	424	797	2,793	1,000	106,900
St. Louis	Steady	10 1-4	455	1,184	987	.....	43,352
Cincinnati	.....	.....	104	104	399	.....	19,947
Louisville	Firm	10 3-8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little Rock	Quiet	9 15-16	887	887	1,029	.....	32,984
Totals today			5,975	7,074	9,948	4,363	340,867

THE RANGE OF COTTON OPTIONS.

RANGE IN NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close	Prev. Close.
April	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.48-50	10.55-57
May	10.55	10.55	10.39	10.40	10.49	10.56-57
June	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.39-41	10.47-49
July	10.42	10.42	10.29	10.40	10.39-40	10.47-48
Aug	10.28	10.28	10.15	10.28	10.27-28	10.33-35
Sept	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.18-20	10.24-25
Oct	10.16	10.17	10.07	10.17	10.16-17	10.22-23
Dec	10.15	10.16	10.06	10.15	10.15-16	10.21-22
Jan	10.09	10.15	9.99	10.10	10.09-10	10.16-17
March	10.08	10.08	10.01	10.03	10.08-10	10.15-17

Closed firm.

RANGE IN NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close	Prev. Close.
April	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.32	10.38
May	10.37	10.42	10.30	10.41	10.42-43	10.42-45
June	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.45-47	10.46-48
July	10.54	10.59	10.45	10.59	10.58-59	10.60-61
Aug	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.46-48	10.48-50
Sept	10.41	10.41	10.41	10.41	10.40-42	10.37-40
Oct	10.17	10.18	10.05	10.17	10.16-17	10.18-19
Dec	10.09	10.15	10.04	10.15	10.14-15	10.16-17
Jan	10.10	10.10	10.08	10.08	10.14-15	10.16-17

Closed steady.

BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	101½
do, coupon	101¾
do, 3s, registered	102
do, coupon	119
do, 4s, registered	120½
do, coupon	83
Ailis-Chalmers 1st 5s	100¾
American Agricultural 5s	104½
American Tel. and Tel. cv. 4s	79
American Tobacco 4s	110
do, 6s	100¾
Atchison general 4s	95¼
Atchison Short Line 1st 4s	107¼
Atchison cv. 4s	108¾
do, cv. 5s	97¾
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s, bid	101¼
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	94½
do, 3½s	85¾
Baltimore and Ohio S. W. 3½s, bid	91
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	106¾
Canada Southern 1st 6s	109¾
Central of Georgia 5s, bid	98¾
Central Leather 5s	102¾
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s, bid	128½
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	105¼
Chicago and Alton 3½s	76½
Chicago, B. and Quincy joint 4s	97½
Chicago, Mil. and St. P. gen. 3½s	95¾
Chi., R. I. and Pac. R. R. col. 4s	80¾
do, 5s	92
do, rfg 4s	92¾
C., C., C. and St. Louis gen. 4s, bid	97½
Colorado Industrial 5s	73½
Colorado Midland 4s, bid	86
Colo. and Southern ref. and ext. 4½s	99½
Delaware and Hudson cv. 4s, bid	102¾
do, 1st ref. 4s, bid	96½
Denver and Rio Grande 4s	76
Distilleries	87
Erie prior lien 4s, bid	74
do, general 4s, bid	74
do, cv. 4s, series A	85¼
do, series B	140
General Electric cv. 5s, bid	100¾
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	78½
Interborough Met. 4½s	73
Inter. Merc. Marine 4½s	85¾
Japan 4s	93¼
do, 4½s	92½
do, 2d series	75½
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s, bid	95¾
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	101¼
Louisville and Nash. unified 4s	90
Mo., Kan. and Texas 1st 4s, bid	86½
do, 1st and ref. 4s, bid	91½
do, gen. 4½s	83½
Missouri Pacific 4s	93
New York Central gen. 3½s	96¼
do, deb. 4s	112½
New York City 4½s (new)	135¼
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford cv. 6s	96½
Norfolk and Western 1st con. 4s	96¾
do, cv. 4s	102¾
Northern Pacific 4s	74¾
do, 3s	95½
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	96¾
Pennsylvania cv. 3½s (1915)	106
do, con. 4s	99¼
Reading general 4s	87¾
St. Louis and San Frah. fg. 4s	78½
St. Louis Southwestern con. 4s	93¾
do, 1st gold 4s, bid	71¾
Seaboard Air Line 4s	91½
Southern Pacific col. 4s, bid	94¾
do, 1st ref. 4s	112
Southern Railway 5s	80¼
do, gen. 4s	102¾
Union Pacific 4s	106¾
do, cv. 4s	99¾
do, 1st and ref. 4s	104½
United States Rubber 6s	106
United States Steel 2d 5s	96¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical 5s	112
Wabash 1st 5s	74½
do, 1st and ext. 4s	93¾
Western Maryland 4s	92¾
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	96
Wisconsin Central 4s	96
D. and R. G. ref. 5s	101¾
C. and O. ctfs 5s	

STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	C'ing Bid.	Prev. Close.
Amalgamated Copper	76½	75½	75½	76¼
Am Car and Foundry	50¼	50	49¾	50½
do. pfd	.....	.....	112	112
American Cotton Oil	58¾	57¾	58	58
Am Hide and L pfd	.....	.....	39½	40
Am Ice Securities	40	39½	39¾	40
American Linseed	15¾	15½	15½	15¾
Am Locomotive	55	54	54½	54½
do. pfd	.....	.....	113½	113½
Am Smelt and Refing	90¼	88½	88¾	89¾
do. pfd	106¾	105¾	106¼	105¾
Am Sugar Refining	132¾	132¾	132½	132¾
Am Tobacco pfd	96½	96¼	96½	96½
American Woolen	35½	34½	34	34
Anaconda Mining Co	45½	44¾	45	45½
Atchison	108¾	107¾	108¾	107¾
do. pfd	104	103¾	103¾	104
Atlantic Coast Line	125¾	124½	125	124
Baltimore and Ohio	113¾	113	113¼	113¼
do. pfd	96	96	96	95½
Brooklyn Rapid Tran	78¾	75¾	76¾	77½
Canadian Pacific	175½	173¾	175¼	175½
Central Leather	29	28¾	28¾	29¼
do. pfd	101¼	101	101	101
Central of N J	.....	.....	370	376
Chesapeake and Ohio	75	74¾	75¾	75¼
Chicago Great West	5¼	5	5	5
Chicago and Northw	179	179	179	179½
Chicago, M and St P	149	148½	148½	148¾
C, C, C and St L	.....	.....	78	78
Colorado Fuel and I	38¼	37¾	37¾	38
Colorado and Southern	64	64	63	63½
do. 1st pfd	81½	81½	81	81½
do. 2nd pfd	80¼	80	80	80½
Consolidated Gas	136¼	136	135½	136¼
Corn Products	23¼	22¾	22½	22¾
Delaware and Hud	.....	.....	181	181
Denver and Rio G	51½	50¾	51¼	51¾
do. pfd	87½	87¾	87¾	87
Distillers' Securities	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
Erie	30½	30	30½	30¾
do. 1st pfd	46¼	45½	46	46¾
do. 2nd pfd	38	38	37½	38
General Electric	154½	153	153	157
Gre. Northern pfd	143¾	143	143½	143¼
Gt Northern Ore Ctfs	69	68¼	68½	69
Illinois Central	144¾	144¾	144¾	144¾
Interborough Met	15¾	15¾	15½	15¾
do. pfd	45¼	45¾	44¾	44½
International Paper	.....	.....	18	18
do. pfd	.....	.....	55	55½
International Pump	38¾	38	38¾	38¼
Iowa Central	15¾	15½	15½	15¾
Kansas City Southern	45½	44¾	45	45
do. pfd	72¾	72½	72½	72½
Louisville and Nashv	138¾	138¾	138	138
Minn and St Louis	58¾	57	58	56
M. St P and S S M	135¼	134	138¾	134½
Missouri Pacific	73¼	73	73	73¾
Mo, Kansas and Tex	45¼	42¾	43¾	45¼
do. pfd	73¾	73¾	73	73
National Lead	58¾	57¼	57¾	58¼
N Y Central	130¼	129¼	129¾	129¾
N Y, Ontario and W	40	40	40	40¼
Norfolk and Western	91¾	91	91	91¼
North American	82¼	81¾	82	81¾
Northern Pacific	143¾	142¾	143¼	142¾
Pacific Mail	.....	.....	29¼	29¼
Pennsylvania	135¾	135	135¾	135¼
People's Gas	116¼	115¾	115¾	115¾
Pittsbg, C C and St L	99	91¼	91¼	91¼
Pressed Steel Car	37¾	37½	37	37¼
Pullman Palace Car	.....	.....	194	194
Ry Steel Spring	39¼	39¼	39	39¼
Reading	144¼	143¾	143¾	143¾
Republic Steel	24¼	23½	23¾	23¾
do. pfd	77½	77¼	77¾	77½
Rock Island Co.	29¼	29¼	28¾	28
do. pfd	80¾	69¾	70	69½
St L and S F 2nd pfd	43	42¼	42¾	42¾
St L Southwestern	.....	.....	33¾	33¾
do. pfd	56¼	56	55½	57
Sloss-Sheffd S and I	.....	.....	75½	75¼
Southern Pacific	119¼	119	119¼	119
do. pfd	123¾	123	123¼	123
Southern Railway	28¾	28¼	28¼	28¾
do. pfd	68	67¾	67½	68¾
Tennessee Copper	41	40¼	40¼	40¾
Texas and Pacific	33½	33¼	33¼	33¼
Toledo, St L and W	51¾	51¾	51¼	51¾
do. pfd	69	68	68¼	68¾
Union Pacific	156¾	155¾	156¼	156
do. pfd	96	96¼	95½	95¾
U S Rubber	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
do. 1st pfd	53¾	53¾	53¼	53¾
do. pfd	115¼	114¾	114¾	114¾
Utah Copper	47½	47	46¾	46¾
Va.-Carolina Chem	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
do. pfd	.....	.....	115¼	115
Wabash	18¾	18½	18¾	18½
do. pfd	48¾	47¾	48¼	47¾
Westinghouse Elec	52	51½	51	52
Western Union	68½	68¼	68¼	68¼
Wheeling and L E	.....	.....	9	9
Wisconsin Central	56¾	54½	55½	56¾
Am T and T	141¾	139¼	140¾	139¾

Total sales for day 614,900 shares.

Stocks recording sales of 10,000 and more shares were:

Amalgamated Copper	88,100
American Tel. and Tel	15,400
American Smelting	33,900
Atchison	15,800
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	45,700
Chesapeake and Ohio	18,900
Interborough Metropolitan preferred	11,700
Reading	55,100
Rock Island	33,300
Southern Pacific	10,500
Union Pacific	31,900

Groceries.

(Corrected by Ogiesby Grocery Co.)

Atlanta, Ga., April 27.—Coffee: Arbuckle's, per 100 pounds, 17c; green choice 10@11c; No. 7 Rio 9½c. Sugar, standard granulated 5½; yellow clarified 4¾c; New York 5c. Salt, 100-pound sacks, 50c; barrel bulk $2.40; ice cream, 200-pound sacks, $1.00. Cheese, Alderny brand 18½c. Crackers, soda, 6½c. Oysters, full weight, $1.75 case. White fish, 40-pound keg $2.50; white fish, 100-pound keg, $3.75. Potash, Gland, $3.25 case; Red Seal, $3.60 case. Peanuts, Virginia handpicked, 6c; North Carolina handpicked 5c. Rice, best, new crop, 7c. Rope, 4-ply cotton, 18c. Soap, Ivory, 84 case; Pole, $2.30 case; Lenox $3.10; Octagon $3.90 case; Red Letter, $1.90 case. Snuff, one-pound jars, 45c; 10-cent jars Macomboy, $8.00. Chewing roots, Old Virginia, $12.00. Snow Drift 8 1-2c. Axle grease, Diamond $1.75 case; Mica $3.25 case. Baking powder, 1-pound Royal, $4.80 case; ½-pound Royal $2.65 case; Good Luck $3.75 case. Beans, navy, $3 bushel. Roast beef $2.90 case. Corned beef $2.80 case; Chipped beef $2.80 case. Van Camp's cream, small, case $2.80. Sardines, mustard, $3.50 case. Salmon, chums, $3.60 case. Sardine ¼-oil $3.50 case; ¼-mustard $3.25 case. Tomatoes, 2-pound, $1.35 case; 3-pound case; Winner brand $4.50 case; Dime brand $3.75. Grits, 96-pound bags $2.00, $1.90 case. Corn, 2-pound, New York, case $1.80. Milk, Eagle brand, $6.50 A. & H. Soda $3.00. Flour, Postell's Elegant $6.25. Diamond Patent $7.50; Monogram $7.00; Red Eagle $6.75; Golden Grain $6.50; Blue Ribbon $6.00.

New York, April 27.—Flour, receipts 34,643; exports 5,346; firm with a better inquiry.

St. Louis, April 27.—Flour lower; red winter patents $6@6.50; extra fancy and straight $4@4.50. Timothy seed $2.25@3.50. Corn meal $3.40. Bran lower; sacked east track $1.25@1.28. Hay weak; timothy $12@17; prairie $11@12.50.

Grain.

(Corrected by A. P. Morgan Grain Co.)

Atlanta, Ga., April 27.—No. 1 L hay, $1.10; No. 1 S hay, $1.05; clover hay 90c; C oats 72c; W oats 68c; No. 2 corn W 92c; bran, per 100 pounds $1.65; No. 2 W shorts, 75 pounds $1.85; B. shorts $1.75; hulls $8.50; C. S. meal, $29.00.

Chicago, April 27.—Cash: Wheat, No. 2 red, $1.38½@$1.40½; No. 3 red, $1.25@$1.38; No. 2 hard, $1.19½@$1.27½; No. 3 hard, $1.15@$1.21½; No. 1 northern, $1.20 1-2@$1.22 1-2; No. 2 northern, $1.18 1-2@$1.22; No. 3 spring, $1.15@$1.20 1-2. Corn—No. 2, 72; No. 2 yellow, 75 1-4; No. 2, 71; No. 3 white, 72½@73; No. 3 yellow, 72 1-2@73 1-4; No. 4, 69@70. Oats, No. 2 white, 57; No. 3 white, 54@56 1-2; No. 4 white, 52@55.

Chicago, April 27.—Close: Wheat, May $1.21; July, $1.08 5-8; September, $1.01 5-8@3-4; December $1.00 7-8@$1.01. Corn, April 71 3-4; May, 71 1-2@5-8; July, 69 1-8; September, 68 1-8; December, 58 7-8. Oats, May, 56 1-8@1-4; July, 49 5-8; September 42 1-8; December, 42 1-2. Rye, cash, 85@86; May, 81. Barley, cash, 65 1-2@69. Tomothy, April, $3.80. Clover, April $9.40.

St. Louis, April 27.—Close: Wheat, No. 2 red cash, $1.43@1.44 1-2; No. 2 hard, $1.24@$1.36; May, $1.21 1-2; July, $1.05. Corn, No. 2 cash, 71 1-2@72 1-2; No. 2 white, 72; May 70 7-8; July, 66 3-8. Oats, No. 2, cash, 54 1-2@55; No. 2 white, 56 1-2; May, 54; July 48. Receipts: Flour, 6,300; wheat, 10,000; corn, 80,000; oats, 22,000. Shipments: Flour, 8,200; wheat, 26,000; corn, 46,000; oats, 60,000.

Kansas City, April 27.—Cash: Wheat No. 2 hard $1.24@$1.33; No. 2 red, $1.40@$1.45. Corn, No. 2 mixed, 69 1-2@3-4; No. 2 white 69½@70. Oats, No. 2 white, 56@58; No. 2 mixed, 53@54.

Close: Wheat, May, $1.20 1-2; July, $1.00 7-8; September, 96 7-8. Corn, May, 69; July, 66 7-8; September, 64 1-4. Receipts: Wheat, 31,000; corn, 22,000; oats, 12,000. Shipments: Wheat, 55,000; corn, 18,000; oats, 13,000.

Cincinnati, April 27.—Wheat firm at $1.40@1.41. Corn firm at 74 1-2@75. Oats firm at 55@55 1-2. Rye steady at 88@90.

New York, April 27.—Wheat receipts, 20,400; spot firm; No. 2 red $1.40 asked elevator; No. 2 red, $1.40 nominal f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.26 1-4 f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.26 1-4 f.o.b. afloat. Options opened 1-2@1 lower under disappointing cables, rallied on covering and cold weather, advanced 2@2 1-2c from the low point and closed strong at a net rise of 1 3-4c@2 1-2c; May, 1.24 1-2@$1.26 1-2, closed $1.26 1-2; July, $1.13 1-2@$1.16 13-16, closed $1.15 3-4; September, $1.06 1-2@$1.08 3-4 closed, $1.08 3-4. Corn receipts 18,00; exports, 2,300. Spot firm; No. 2, 80 1-4 elevator and 78 1-2 f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 white 79 1-2 nominal and No. 2 yellow 78 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Option market opened nominally unchanged, rallied with wheat and advanced 1 1-2 to 1 3-4 on small stocks and poor weather for farm work; closed strong at a net rise of 1 1-8@1 3-4. May closed 79 1-2; July 76 3-4@77, closed 77; September closed at 75 1-2. Oats, receipts 49,575; spot firm; mixed 26@32 pounds 56@58 1-2, natural white 26@32 pounds 58 1-2@61; clipped white, 34@42 pounds 58 1-2@63 1-2.

Fruit and Vegetables.

Atlanta, Ga., April 27.—Bananas, per pound 3½c. Eggplants, per crate $3.00. Tomatoes, per crate, $2.00. Peppers, per crate, $2.00@2.25. Okra, per crate $3.00. Celery, per bunch $1.00. Grapefruit, fancy 46s, 48c; 54s and 64s, $3.00, and smaller sizes, $2.00. Irish potatoes, bushel $1.35. Pineapples, per crate $3.50. Oranges, all sizes, $2.50@3.00.

New York, April 27.—Potatoes firm; Bermuda, per barrel 4.35@4.50; southern $2@2.40. Cabbages weak; southern white per crate 50c@$1; red $1.50@2.

Country Produce.

(Corrected by the Fidelity Fruit and Produce Company, Wholesale Fruits and Produce, 6 North Broad street.)

Eggs—Fresh country 21c.

Live Poultry—Hens 40@42½c; chickens 30@35c; ducks, Pekin 30@35c each, puddle 25c each; turkeys 17@18c.

Dressed Poultry—Hens 15@16c per pound; cocks 7@8c; fries 25c per pound; ducks 15@16c per pound; geese 11½@12½c per pound; turkeys 22@25c owing to quality.

Produce—Butter (Jersey) 25@27½c per pound; country, demand active 15@17 1-2 pound. Beeswax active 23c pound. Honey in one-pound blocks active, 10@12½c pound; in bulk 8@9c pound.

Beets, per crate, $2.50. Eggplants, per crate, $2.50@3.00. Cucumbers, per crate, $2.50. Tomatoes, per crate $2.00@2.25. Snap beans, per crate $1.75@2.00. Lettuce, $2.00@2.25. English peas, per crate, $2.00; white squash, per crate $2.00; white squash, per crate $2.00. $1.50. Cauliflower, per pound 10c. Cabbage, per crate $2.50. Oranges, per box $3.50@4.00. Grapefruit, per crate $2.50@3.00. Pineapples, per crate $4.00. Tangarines, per crate $3.00@3.50. Kumquats per quart 12½c. Strawberries, per quart 10@12 1-2c. Celery, per crate $2.00. Sweet potatoes, per bushel 70c. New Irish potatoes, per bushel $2.00. Bananas, per pound, 3c. Apples, N. Y. Baldwin, per bushel, $7.00. Onions, per bushel $1.75. Irish potatoes, per bushel, $1.35. Peanuts, per pound, 6c